

Howlett puts self into new controversy

by STEVE BROWN
Aides to embattled Sec. of State Michael J. Howlett told The Herald Tuesday that the Democratic gubernatorial candidate ignored advice against lumping his income disclosures with the announcement he was quitting his \$15,000-a-year outside job.

The outcome was that Howlett has opened a new controversy with the disclosure he declared \$100,000 in campaign contributions as personal income in 1974 even though the gov-

ernment does not consider campaign funds as taxable income.

Howlett was attempting to "clear the air" over his job with the Sun Steel Co. during a press conference at the Bismarck Hotel, but much of the questioning surrounded Howlett's tax returns.

WHILE EXPLAINING why he resigned from the \$15,000-a-year consulting post with Sun Steel, Howlett also disclosed his net worth and showed reporters his 1974 income tax returns.

Aides said after the press conference they advised Howlett not to link the two matters together.

"I think it cleared the air, but it looks like it opened a whole new can of worms," one adviser said.

At issue was Howlett's 1974 income tax return which included \$100,000 he received as campaign contributions. Howlett declared the contributions as personal income. He said he was advised by Chicago lawyer Harold Bernstein to declare the contributions as personal income.

ACCORDING TO Internal Revenue Service regulations, politicians are not required to declare campaign contributions as income unless the money was used for personal expenses.

"I used the \$100,000 to pay back taxes, I did not use it for personal expenses. My tax counsel advised me to pay the taxes, it did not have anything to do with the IRS. It was put into the campaign fund. All I did was what my tax counsel told me to do," Howlett said.

Howlett said he used \$75,000 of the

amount to repay a loan he made during his 1972 campaign for secretary of state. Howlett said he borrowed the money from Nationwide Acceptance Corp.

He said the remaining \$25,000 was used to pay taxes on the loan, retire other debts and subsequent political opportunities.

HOWLETT DECLINED to offer any specifics on how the \$100,000 was used.

"I have made the greatest dis-

closure ever made by any public official," Howlett said.

Howlett said he will disclose his 1972 campaign contributions in the near future.

He did produce a list of persons who purchased tickets to fund-raising events in Chicago and Springfield in 1974. The money raised in the events was used to pay off the loans, Howlett said.

The 1974 tax return Howlett allowed reporters to review did not include the

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TODAY: Partly cloudy, much colder. High mid 30s; low mid 20s.

THURSDAY: Partly cloudy. High mid 30s.

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Diving finals tonight in high school swimming

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Taste of spring disappears

Do not prepare your winter coat and galoshes for mothballs quite yet. Spring IS NOT right around the corner.

Following an official high of 60 degrees Tuesday, the U. S. Weather Service forecast high temperatures in the lower 30s today with north winds gusting between 10 and 15 miles per hour.

Tuesday's mid-afternoon forecast said the Chicago area would be under a partly cloudy sky today but with very little chance of measurable precipitation.

Temperatures will drop into the upper teens or lower 20s tonight, then remain cold and dry on Thursday.

The Weather Service forecast no measurable amount of precipitation until Friday when, a spokesman said, it would probably be a light shower.

Tuesday's 60-degree high fell three degrees short of the Chicago area record set Feb. 10, 1876.

Isolated cases of flu reported in schools

by KURT BAER

Isolated outbreaks of influenza have hit hard at some area schools.

Health officials, however, still say they are hoping this winter will wind up as one of the mildest flu seasons in recent years.

St. Stephen School, Des Plaines, was closed Tuesday with eight of the school's 14 teachers and 70 of 318 students reported out with the flu.

Prospect Heights Dist. 23 also reported numerous flu-related absences.

"There are many, many children and some teachers out because of the flu," said Carol Weinberg, one of two nurses in Dist. 23. From a total enrollment of 1,705 students, 137 elementary children and 48 junior high school students were absent Tuesday. Ten of the district's 93 teachers also were reported sick.

"There seems to be two kinds of flu. The first makes the person much sicker - fever, cough and sore throat. The second, a stomach flu, seems to be of shorter duration. Some children have had both," Mrs. Weinberg said.

Jill Barthel, supervisory nurse for Elk Grove Township Dist. 59, reported a number of flu-like illnesses in district schools.

"We usually have a period when we have a number of students absent because of high fevers or flu. We seem to be going through

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Written order a last resort

Parks OK ban on troublemakers

by JOE SWICKARD

A procedure for banishing troublemakers from parks was adopted Tuesday by the Arlington Heights Park District Board of Commissioners.

The policy calls for arrest and the possible imposition of fines and jailing for those who violate the banishment order.

Charles Bobinette, park district attorney, said the policy will help control vandalism and other problems in the parks.

Under the policy, persons who repeatedly create trouble at the parks will be served with a written order banning them from the parks. The length of the banishment will depend on the seriousness of the situation.

In the case of juveniles, a registered letter will be sent to the parents explaining the situation. In all cases, a copy of the order will be sent to the park board.

BOBINETTE SAID the banishment "should be used sparingly . . . (and) . . . only used in extreme cases."

When asked whether the park district had the authority to ban certain persons from public land, Bobinette said, "The codes provide for enacting ordinances against sin and everything else in the parks."

Thomas Thornton, park district director, said it will give park supervisors a tool for controlling "some situations (that) are absolutely unbearable."

Thornton said the order also will give the police authority to arrest a person, so they won't have to wait "until he throws a rock through the window."

HE EMPHASIZED the order will be used only as a last resort to control behavior.

"It's not going to be used when a kid is thrown out of a swimming pool for splashing water in someone's face," he said.

The banishment authority will be given a limited number of persons - "about 10 people at the most," he said.

The counselors in the parks will not have the power, he said.

"They (the counselors) are supposed to be getting people in the parks so they can talk to them and not to throw them out," Thornton said.

THE POLICY was formulated with the assistance of Lt. Paul Buckholz of the police department juvenile bureau. Buckholz said earlier the policy has been used in area high school successfully to halt disruptions.

The policy will go into effect in a few weeks after park employees have been instructed in its limitations and applications.

The policy provides for fines up to \$100 or a jail term of up to 10 days for persons violating the banishment.

Dist. 25 studies report to find deficit solution

Plans for cutting programs, increasing class size and combining junior high schools with nearby elementary schools were studied by board members in Arlington Heights Dist. 25 Tuesday as possible means of reducing projected financial deficits in the district.

The administration presented its report on the feasibility of combining elementary and junior high schools in the district. According to the report:

- Wilson School could be closed in 1977 and students could attend Thomas Junior High School. The combination would mean sixth graders would remain at Olive and Ridge Schools instead of moving to classes at Thomas;
- Park School could be closed in 1978 and the program would go to South Junior High School. Sixth graders would remain at Dunton, Dryden and Westgate schools;
- Windsor School could be closed in

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MS. FIX-IT. Dori Schneider gives lessons in screwdrivers and pliers to explain the mysteries of lamps, irons and blenders in a women's fix-it class at Recreation Park.

Father of four kills wife, shoots self, police report

A Hanover Park man allegedly shot and killed his wife Tuesday, then critically wounded himself in what police said was an apparent murder and attempted suicide.

The incident occurred about 10:25 a.m. at the Raymond Buenger home, 1501 Cypress Ct., police said.

Nancy Buenger, 33, mother of four, was killed by two gunshots to the head and one to the chest. She was pronounced dead at Alexian Brothers Medical Center, Elk Grove Village.

BUENGER, 35, was listed in critical condition Tuesday night in the intensive care unit of the hospital. He suffered a gunshot wound to the head.

Police said they were called to the Buenger house to investigate a report of a domestic disturbance with shots being fired. The Buengers were found lying in the kitchen of the blevel home by police.

Both Buenger and his wife's wounds were inflicted by the same weapon, a .38-caliber handgun, police said. Two of four Buenger children were in the home at the time of the shootings, and assistant Cook County state's attorneys were questioning them Tuesday night.

Further details about the incident were not available pending investigation by the state's attorney's office.

The Buenger family was aided by Northwest suburbanites in December after the family was included on a list of needy families by Schaumburg Township officials. These families usually receive turkeys and other holiday footstuffs collected by civic groups.

AREA RESIDENTS offered Christmas trees and presents for the family following a Herald story outlining the family's struggle to make ends meet while living on township general-assistance funds.

Neighbors said Tuesday they did not know much about the Buengers because the couple did not socialize with the people in the neighborhood. One woman said the Buengers "kept to themselves."

Georgia Radosta, who has lived next door to the family for 12 years, said neighbors "left them alone" because of the problems the Buengers were experiencing.

During an interview with a Herald reporter last December, Mrs. Buenger traced the family's problems back to an auto accident in June 1975. After that incident and the father's inability to work full time at a tool and die making job, Buenger suffered a nervous breakdown, Mrs. Buenger had said.

SINCE HIS BREAKDOWN, Buenger was in and out of the mental health unit at Alexian Brothers Medical Center, she said. A spokesman for the hospital Tuesday confirmed Buenger had been treated there in the past.

Because of financial and medical problems the family was forced to go to Schaumburg Township for general assistance funds to buy necessities.

Mrs. Buenger went into training as a nursing assistant at Sherman Hospital, Elgin, but lost that job when she had to spend a week in a nearby hospital for tests.

In December, she said, "I'm laughing on the outside, but there have

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Suburban digest

County funds held in prison lawsuit

Cook County Sheriff Richard J. Elrod Tuesday said a federal court judge has impounded \$700,000 in surplus county funds because of a suit charging the county with inadequate mental health care for prisoners. The suit, filed Nov. 19, 1974, by two inmates, charged that some 200 prisoners who needed mental health treatment while awaiting trial were denied the constitutional right to such care. Mentally ill prisoners were arbitrarily detained without treatment in facilities "where their mental conditions have seriously deteriorated," the suit said. Elrod said U.S. District Court Judge Frank J. McGarr's action would force the Cook County Board of Commissioners to increase taxes because the surplus funds, received from the 1975 budget, were to be used to meet the 1976 budget.

Government vote set April 3

The Rolling Meadows City Council Tuesday voted 6-3 to hold an April 3 referendum asking voters to adopt a strong managerial form of government. The referendum also will ask residents to decide if two aldermen should still be elected from each of the city's five wards. Mayor Roland J. Meyer said "let the voters speak. I'll be heard from between now and then." Meyer has said he does not oppose the managerial form of government but that the city council should be reduced if the city adopts a strong managerial form of government. He has four days to veto the council's action.

Maine Twp. aid rolls up 166%

General assistance rolls in Maine Township have swelled 166 per cent since 1973 with a record-high 3,092 persons receiving public aid in 1975. Township officials attribute 1975's 27 per cent increase over the 1974 figure to rising unemployment and several local strikes that left a large number of people out of work for several months. Among the strikes affecting Maine Township last year was a 15-week one by 800 employees of Central Telephone Co. Officials said although the percentage of residents receiving township aid increased the first three quarters of last year, there was a 43 per cent decrease during the fourth quarter.

Palatine helps Guatemala

Earthquake victims in Guatemala will receive aid from the Northwest suburbs. The Palatine Village Board has agreed to donate \$600 for relief work in the country where more than 17,000 people are feared dead as the result of devastating earthquakes. Trustee James L. Shaw, made the motion which was approved unanimously. He recommended that money be channeled through the Religious Assn. of Palatine which would forward the money to agencies handling relief work.

Judge to speak today on divorce actions

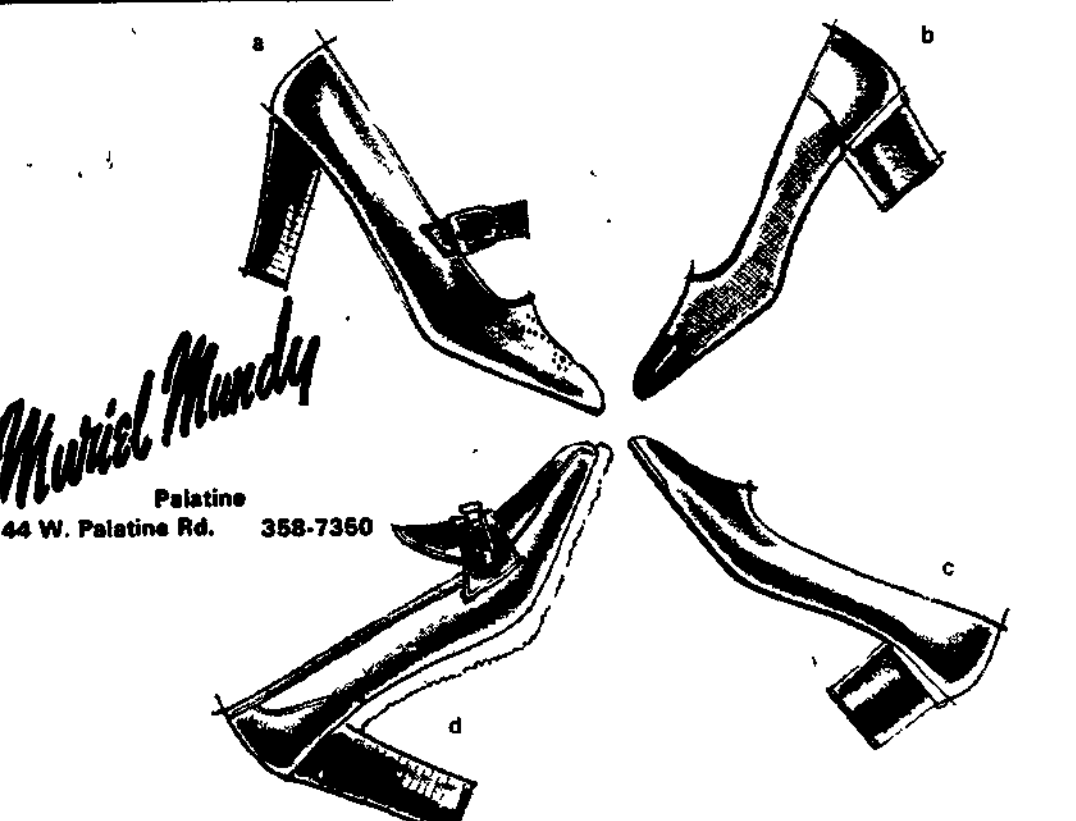
Divorce will be discussed by Judge David Linn at today's meeting of the Northwest Suburban Bar Assn. The meeting will be held at the Des Plaines Elks Club, 485 Lee St. Linn, a Cook County Circuit Court judge, will discuss the divorce settlement agreement. The social hour will start at 6:30 p.m. followed by dinner at 7:30 p.m.

Music panel to focus on teaching topics

A panel of music teachers will speak on teaching topics and problems at Monday's meeting of the Northwest Suburban Area Group Music Teachers. The meeting will begin at 9:30 a.m. at the Arlington Heights Library, 500 N. Dunton Ave., Arlington Heights. The panel will include part-time and full-time teachers. Questions about the teaching of beginning to college level students also will be answered.

Advanced students to hold music recital

The Northwest Suburban Area Group Music Teachers will hold its annual advanced students recital Feb. 22 at Harper College, Algonquin and Roseville roads, Palatine. About 50 students will perform.



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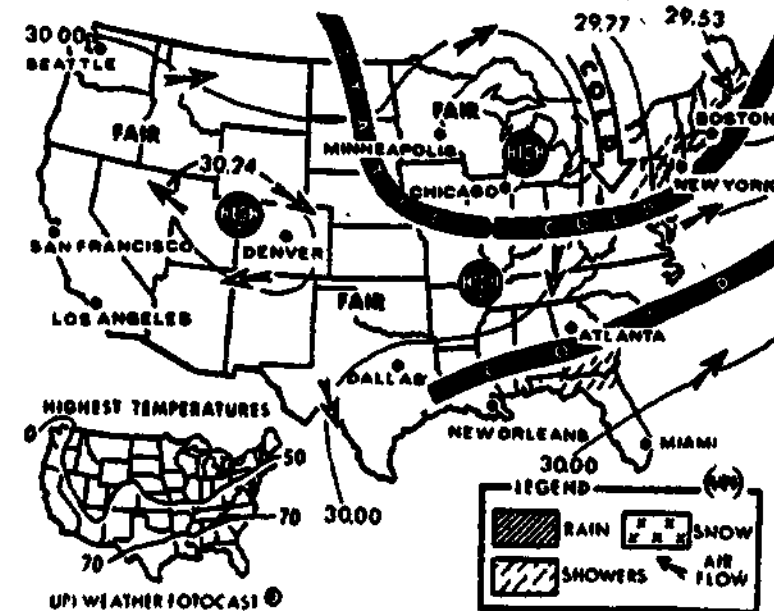


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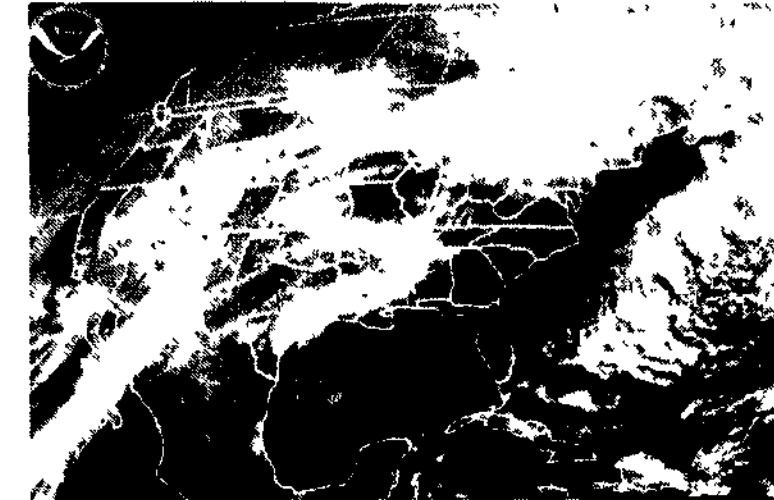
Back to the cold war...



AROUND THE NATION: Showers are likely to fall in portions of the Northeast, northern Florida and southern Georgia, while mostly sunny skies will dominate the rest of the nation.


AROUND THE STATE: North: Much colder with partly cloudy skies. High in upper 20s to upper 30s. Low in the 20s. South: Partly cloudy and much colder. High in upper 30s to upper 40s. Low in upper 20s to upper 30s.

Temperatures around the Nation:			
High	Low	High	Low
Albuquerque 50	40	Honolulu 78	62
Anchorage 00	-13	Houston 73	62
Asheville 20	21	Indianapolis 61	52
Atlanta 70	33	Jackson, Miss 74	62
Birmingham 69	38	Jacksonville 69	30
Boston 48	26	Kansas City 70	44
Charleston, S.C. 62	41	Las Vegas 85	15
Charlotte, N.C. 67	29	Little Rock 75	57
Chicago 58	42	Los Angeles 82	48
Cleveland 64	47	Louisville 67	46
Columbus 58	36	Memphis 72	52
Dallas 81	60	Miami 81	49
Denver 56	34	Milwaukee 66	36
Des Moines 61	34	Minneapolis 78	41
Detroit 60	35	Nashville 67	46
El Paso 67	47	New Orleans 73	48
Hartford 46	14	New York 45	27
		Omaha 48	30
		Philadelphia 49	33
		Phoenix 65	52
		Pittsburgh 65	39
		Portland, Me 42	69
		Portland, Ore 50	34
		Providence 44	16
		St. Louis 79	56
		Salt Lake City 84	19
		San Diego 89	54
		San Francisco 62	47
		San Juan 81	60
		Seattle 41	39
		Spokane 75	36
		Tampa 72	38
		Washington 56	27
		Wichita 69	51



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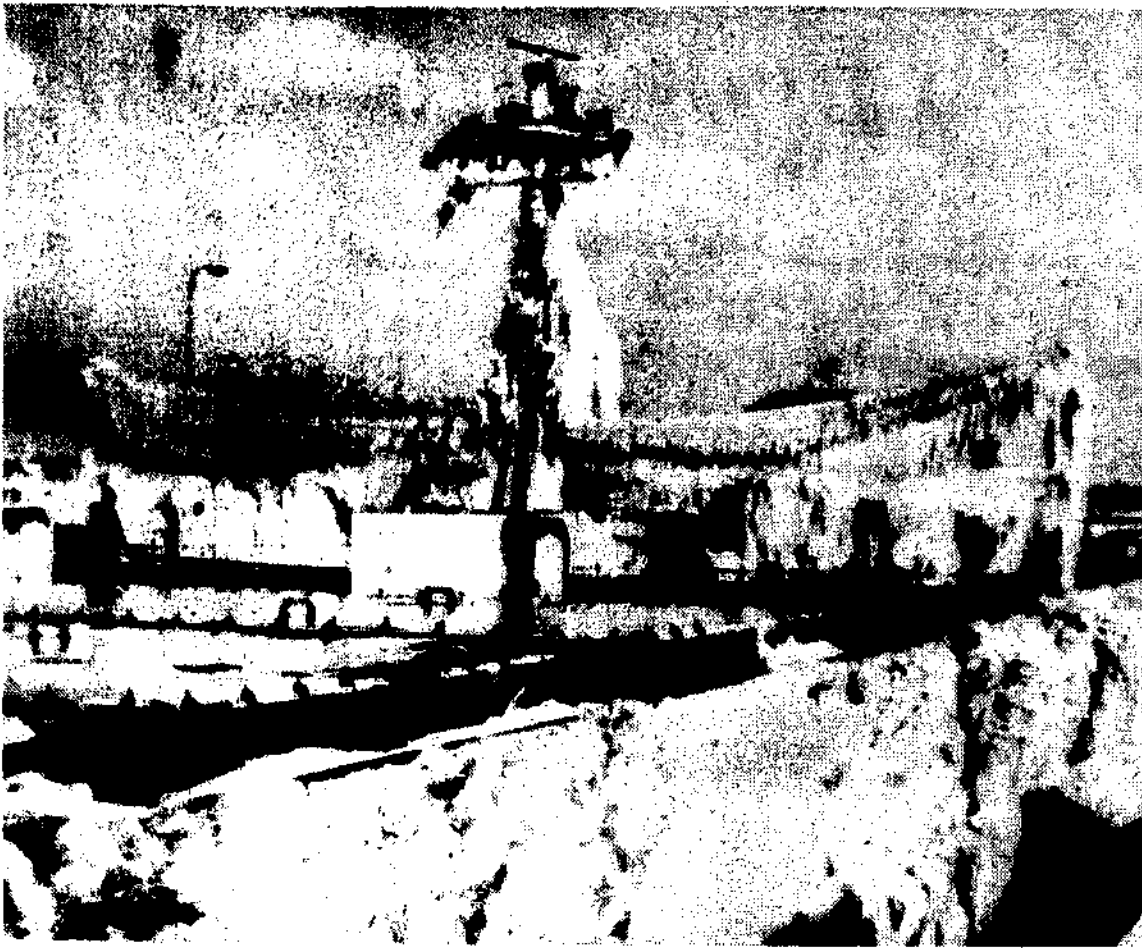
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Ford signs \$112.3 billion defense appropriations bill

President Ford Tuesday reluctantly signed a \$112.3 billion defense appropriations bill that also forbids covert aid to Angola, calling the ban "an extremely undesirable precedent" forced upon him by Congress.

"I am deeply disappointed that the Congress has acted in this bill to deprive the people of Angola of the assistance needed to resist Soviet and Cuban military intervention in their country," Ford said in a statement.

In the main, the bill provides \$90.46 billion for weapons development during the current fiscal year and another \$21.86 billion for a three-month transition to the start of the next fiscal year on Oct. 1.

Washington at-a-glance

quired handgun owners to turn in their guns in exchange for payment at their fair market value.

After defeating the ban on handguns, the committee moved on to consideration of measures that would establish a national gun registration plan.

Usery takes oath

W.J. Usery Jr. was sworn in as secretary of labor Tuesday, pledging to cooperate with both labor and management and carry out President Ford's conservative program to create more jobs.

Bribe money condemned

President Ford Tuesday condemned the payment of bribes by U.S. firms overseas and began a review of ways to punish them, possibly including the loss of federal contracts.

Press Secretary Ron Nessen said

Ford called in top advisers to discuss the bribery situation following disclosures that Lockheed Aircraft Corp. and many other firms have paid millions to foreign lobbyists and government officials to boost overseas sales.

At the same time, Treasury Secretary William Simon announced the Internal Revenue Service is stepping up a drive "to uncover tax evasion . . . through the improper deduction of bribes and similar wrongful payments" by the firms involved.

House panel closes down

The House intelligence committee went out of business Tuesday after voting 9 to 4 to send the House a sweeping list of recommendations for curbing illegal spy activities both at home and abroad.

Rep. Otis Pike, D-N.Y., committee chairman, announced "these proceedings closed" after nearly a year of investigation by the 13-member panel and production of a 338-page report which still has not been made public.

The House voted by a 2-1 margin last month to bar publication of the report on grounds it contained classified information which could damage U.S. intelligence operations.

Patty testimony comes under attack

SAN FRANCISCO (UPI) — Patricia Hearst's testimony that her kidnapers forced her into a bank robbery came under attack Tuesday.

In the same courtroom where Miss Hearst Monday said she was sexually assaulted and threatened with death by members of the terrorist Symbionese Liberation Army a young man testified she told him she was a willing participant in the bank robbery with which she is charged.

At about the same time, William and Emily Harris, two SLA members, denied in Los Angeles every major portion of Miss Hearst's testimony which was made at a special hearing in San Francisco federal court with the jury excluded from the room.

The Harrises, who have been indicted with Miss Hearst on a variety of state charges in Los Angeles, denied her court statements in a tape recording that was released during a noon recess of their pretrial hearing.

They said Miss Hearst lied when she said she was sexually assaulted and beaten by members of the SLA, and they insisted she was the author of statements she made announcing her decision to join her terrorist kidnapers.

"She was never harmed in any way," said Mrs. Harris. "She was never forced to do anything against her will after she had joined the SLA."

The Harrises' statements said Miss Hearst had total freedom "to do whatever she wanted to do, even if that was to return to her family."

The Harrises, who were arrested in San Francisco last September at the same time Miss Hearst was seized at another address, said:

"She was never sexually assaulted. This is totally absurd."

Before the Harrises made their comment the court in San Francisco heard Thomas Matthews, 20, now a

college student, testify for the prosecution that she told him she voluntarily took part in the bank robbery and also showed him a cyanide bullet from her gun.

"She said she originally was kidnapped, bound and gagged but she heard publicly that her father didn't do enough to get her free and she had changed her views," Matthews said.

"U.S. Attorney James L. Browning Jr. asked Matthews about his conversations with Miss Hearst and the Harrises before he was freed the next morning.

"I asked them why they robbed the bank," Matthews said.

"Harris said they needed the money to carry on the warfare of their organization.

"She (Miss Hearst) said she had heard a lot of publicity that she was forced to take part . . . and she said that was false. She said she was a willing participant."

Matthews said she told him the group had arranged once in the bank not to turn their weapons more than a certain number of degrees so they would not shoot each other.

"Did she say this matter of factly or did she appear nervous?" asked Browning.

"More matter of factly," Matthews said.



Patty Hearst, accompanied by marshals, arrives at Federal Building in San Francisco

Chile torture 'staggeres imagination'

GENEVA, Switzerland (UPI) — Torture has become an institution in Chile, used by the regime to stay in power and carried out by "professional torturers" whose methods "stagger the imagination," the U.N. Commission on Human Rights said Tuesday.

In Santiago, a Chilean Foreign Ministry official said the report was not a new document. There was no other immediate official reaction from government officials to the charges.

A special working group, established by the U.N. Commission one year ago to investigate allegations of torture in Chile, handed in a 67-page report signed by its chairman, Ghulam Ali Allana of Pakistan.

"Denial of human rights and fundamental freedoms, torture and inhuman, cruel and degrading treatment have thus become a pattern of governmental policies in Chile," it said.

"Statements made before the group

stagger the imagination," it said.

"The methods used continued to be characterized by extreme ruthlessness," it said. "They extend from cold, methodical application of torture as a means of extracting information or of punishing and destroying political opponents to frequent manifestations of barbaric sadism by individual operators."

The group said it has evidence that Chilean secret service agencies employ "a number of well-trained, professional torturers." It singled out one Oswaldo Romo and said he should be "brought to trial for crimes against humanity."

The report attached testimony from persons on how they were allegedly tortured by Chilean secret police.

British doctor Sheila Cassidy described the application of electric shocks, through electrodes inserted into her body.

Dr. Cassidy also gave hearsay evidence from other women she met in prison, including one who said that

police had used rats on her in the same way as electrodes.

The report listed in detail other methods of torture, including use of an electrified bed, beatings, dogs, applying shocks to open wounds, hanging people upside down for hours, cutting

the body with a razor and burial in sand with only the head free and exposed to the sun.

As to the Chilean people, "many of them are unaware of what is going on in their country," the group said. "Others prefer to remain silent."

Lack of water critical problem in Guatemala

GUATEMALA CITY, Guatemala (UPI) — The United States began the first massive airlift of relief supplies to the heart of this devastated nation Tuesday, and a U.S. aid official warned that the problem of pure drinking water was becoming critical.

The government put the official death toll at 17,032 in six days of earthquakes and predicted it may

reach 25,000. Reports from the interior city of Chimaltenango said officials there believed as many as 1,000 more bodies were buried in the rubble of that city alone.

Reports of new volcano eruptions brought new fears to a country where more than one million persons — a sixth of the population — are homeless. The Guatemalan Civil Aeronautics department quoted relief pilots as saying Mount Santiaguito, 35 miles west of Guatemala City, was spewing forth lava and smoke. A second volcano, Mount Pacaya, erupted Monday.

R. Carey Coulter, an economist with the U.S. Aid for International Development Mission, said the mission had received reports that people in some areas of Guatemala are showing signs of dehydration and that the lack of water had become the No. 1 critical health problem. He said the major relief effort was directed at restoring water supplies.

Guillermo Estrada, spokesman of the office of President Kjell Eugenio Laugerud, said the official death toll was 17,032 in six days of earthquakes and tremors.

Estrada said the final death toll "will be somewhere between 20,000 and 25,000."

The commander of a U.S. Army disaster survey team from the Canal Zone said that several towns north of Guatemala City had been totally destroyed.

People

Sen. Lloyd Bentsen quits 1976 presidential race

Sen. Lloyd Bentsen of Texas, citing poor showings in Mississippi and Oklahoma delegate-selection caucuses withdrew from the presidential race Tuesday — reducing the Democratic field to nine. He will remain on the Texas ballot as a favorite son candidate and concentrate on winning another Senate term.

Casey the gorilla is a new father. His offspring is a 4-pound-11 ounce female. Dr. Lee Simmons, director of Omaha's Henry Doorly Zoo says a diet may have improved Casey's sex life. Casey, loaned by the St. Paul, Minn. Zoo to Omaha, checked in five

years ago at 576 pounds. Simmons said he was thinned down to 430 pounds. "As a result," Simmons said, "We'd like to think Casey became more active." Simmons added that fat animals, be they people or otherwise, do not reproduce as well as thin animals.

Deaths: Percy Faith, conductor and composer, died of cancer Monday at Valley Presbyterian Hospital in Van Nuys, Calif. He was 68. Last rites will be held today at 1 p.m. in Hillside Memorial Park in Inglewood.

Judith Campbell Exner, who says she had an affair with President John

Kennedy while maintaining relationships with two mobsters, sued the FBI Monday, demanding the agency release information on her in its files. She maintains she is in "physical danger" until her memoirs are completed.

Bob Trout, a Little Rock, Ark. nightclub owner reportedly said he was urged to cancel the Arkansas appearances of stripper Fanne Foxe, whose involvement with Rep. Wilbur Mills, led to Mills' political woes. Trout was quoted as saying he could "make more money not to have her than to have her."

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The world

Claim dissidents want Rabin replaced

Israeli newspapers said Tuesday dissidents within the government parties teamed up with right wing opposition members in a bid to replace Prime Minister Yitzhak Rabin with Defense Minister Shimon Peres. Political sources said, however, the move represented no real danger to Rabin's leadership.

According to the newspaper Ma'ariv, the four parliamentarians involved — one each from the Rifa'i faction of the ruling Labor party and the National Religious party and two from the Likud opposition bloc — "feel that relations between Rabin and Peres have deteriorated beyond repair."

British mercenaries limp home

British mercenaries limped home to London from the Angolan civil war Tuesday bearing tales of murder. Prime Minister Harold Wilson named a three-man commission to study how to stop mercenary recruitment. Wilson told parliament there was little doubt that the "atrocity" in which 14 British mercenaries were reportedly executed by their mercenary comrades for refusing to fight in Angola did happen.

The youngest of the mercenaries, David Murphy, 17, who was reported to have been one of the 14 executed for refusing to fight, denied the incident took place. "It's just not true," he said. "What really happened is that 20 of our men went out one night to a place called Dambo. Only five came back."

The nation

Medics, hospitals oppose Medicare reform

Hospital and doctor organizations mounted opposition Tuesday to the anti-inflation provision in President Ford's Medicare reform formula, saying it would result in higher health costs for non-Medicare patients. "Hospitals are victims, not creators, of inflationary trends," said John Alexander McMahon, president of the American Hospital Association, discussing Ford's proposal to limit increases in government Medicare payments to 7 per cent for hospitals and 4 per cent for doctors' bills.

McMahon told a House Ways and Means subcommittee that imposition of such a ceiling would force hospitals to either raise rates to all patients or cut back services.

Nixon statement 'concerned' ex-lawmaker

A former Oklahoma congressman Tuesday said President Nixon's controversial statement he could "kill 70 million Russians" with a phone call was perhaps a little too forceful, "but I couldn't say he was raving." Clem McSpadden was one of the first Democrats to visit the White House during Nixon's "Operation Cando" just prior to the President's resignation. McSpadden said he was concerned because of the way Nixon answered the question by saying "I Nixon can" rather than saying the United States had such a capability. He said Nixon appeared to be "putting himself ahead of the country."

Nick Pomaro still out to prove his point

One fine day in the course of judicial events, a man came to trial before Assistant State's Atty. Nick Pomaro a prosecutor who always thought he could spot a liar.

Pomaro said it was a simple case. The man was accused of stealing an unassembled storage shed not yet removed from its shipping carton.

But, wouldn't you know it, the man denied he was guilty.

That presented a problem. Perhaps the guy really didn't steal the shed. Even some members of Nick's staff thought that way.

"WE HAD A WITNESS who'd seen him, but there were alibi witnesses who said he was at a party during the theft," Nick said. "I just had the feeling he was lying."

So Nick began to work on the chap. He sought inconsistencies, holes in testimony, anything which might link the defendant with the crime.

Then he found it. "He was the only person, including the owner, who knew exactly what had been written on that carton," said Nick, a Northwest suburban family man, with his wife, Jean, and six children.

"How would he have known that if he just passed by there? He knew the price . . . the store . . . the delivery date . . ."

"I GOT HIM TO recite that in a cross-examination. It showed he had an intimate knowledge," said Nick, whose Cook County Circuit Court Dist. 2 region includes the Arlington Heights branch.

The defendant was convicted. And Nick's suspicions that the guy had lied were confirmed. It was all in the man's voice.



NICK POMARO

"When I'm talking to people if they're not telling the truth, a little bell goes off," Nick said. "I don't know why. I'm fooled sometimes, but not very often."

Colleagues are amazed at Nick's method. They listen to testimony but do not hear the same things. Nick must hear. He's blind.

THE AFFLICTION came upon Nick, 38, when he was 6.

Some people quit living when they're belted hard like that. But not Nick Pomaro. Not by a longshot.

"It's easy to fall into your own little world where your friends are blind and you have jobs blind people can do," said Nick. "It's harder to break away, to fit into so-called everyday society."

"That's what I always wanted. You've got to push, take a few set-



Mike Klein's people

backs and get hurt a little bit. I never wanted to be different."

Sam and Frances Pomaro would not allow their young son to languish.

"My father didn't accept less than a good effort," Nick said. There were the usual household chores and duties.

"THINGS WERE NOT taken away from me because I was blind," Nick said. That included responsibility for his younger brother and sister, Russ and Paula.

"Whatever little I am today, I owe to my parents," he said.

Nick was a bashful youngster before the rare blood disease took his sight. He would always run from fights. All that changed.

A newfound aggressiveness blossomed after the illness. "Kids are sometimes cruel," Nick said. "They'd say, 'You can't catch me!' I'd catch 'em and beat them up."

"They thought they had a soft touch," Nick said. "I was out to prove a point."

And Nick still hasn't quit.

YEARS LATER, when he studied at DePaul University, he rode the train into Chicago. There was no seeing-eye dog at his side. He despised the blind man's cane.

"You're supposed to tap the cane," Nick said. "I hate that. It reminds me of a blind beggar. I won't do it."

His life only has small regrets. Nick would like to read the daily newspaper. And drive an automobile, too.

But none of that has been the toughest.

"The physical limitation does not really bother me too much," Nick said this week while in court in Evanston. "It's the reaction of other people."

"I REMEMBER standing next to my mother as a child and people would talk about me as if I wasn't there, as if I couldn't hear," Nick said.

"That still happens with my wife. We'll be in a restaurant and the waitress will ask my wife what HE wants. 'I used to cry, now I laugh,' Nick said. "That's the hardest part, learning not to cry."

Nick planned to become an engineer because he could not recall hearing of any blind engineers.

But after DePaul, the opportunity came to study at John Marshall Law School in Chicago. He snatched it up.

FRIENDS READ HIM texts aloud. Nick developed a razor sharp memory. It was seldom that anything became lost from his grasp.

Palatine officials support Stanley

Political briefs

Palatine village officials have followed the lead of Village Pres. Wendell Jones by endorsing Hanover Township Republican Committeeman Roger Stanley for election to the Illinois House.

The move increases the apparent split between GOP officials in the 2nd Legislative District. Most Palatine Township officials announced earlier this week that they are endorsing incumbent State Rep. John Friedland.

Federal funds sought by five utility firms

Northern Illinois Gas Co. and four Illinois utility companies are participants in a plan to seek federal funding for a new coal gasification plant in southern Illinois, Gov. Daniel Walker said this week.

The project's total cost is \$200 million. The utilities, in the Illinois Coal Gasification Group, filed plans with the federal Energy and Research and Development Administration. The companies supply natural gas service to 88 per cent of the state's residents.

The proposal and applications from competing states will be evaluated by the energy administration. If the project is approved, the utilities will seek state bond funds available through the Illinois Coal Development Bond Issue. Utilities participating in the plan include NIGas, Peoples Gas Light and Coke Co., Chicago; Central Illinois Public Service Co., Springfield; Central Illinois Light Co., Peoria; and North Shore Gas Co., Waukegan.

R-South Elgin, and Duane Walter of Winfield Township.

Stanley failed to obtain slating for the Illinois House by the township committeemen in the district, which stretches through parts of Kane, Cook and DuPage counties.

In the Palatine Village endorsements, Trustees Bryan Coughlin, Richard Fonte, Robert Guss, James Shaw and Philip Stern joined Jones in voicing support for Stanley.

The group stated Stanley could best represent the interest of Palatine in the district and the Illinois General Assembly.

The split endorsement in the township sets the stage for a meeting tonight of the township Republican organization who will hear from the three candidates.

Observers in the township predict the split could make it difficult for the township organization.

Township officials who endorsed the Friedland-Walter ticket include Charles Zimmerman, John Serio, Donald Bellin and Liston Pennington, all township auditors; Robert Bergman, township road commissioner, and Ruth Ellen Blowney, township clerk.

Township Supervisor Howard Olsen has told reporters he does not plan to take a position on the Illinois House race until the GOP organization meeting tonight.

The Republicans will meet at 7:30 p.m. at the Palatine Township Hall, 637 Plum Grove Road.

Wheeling GOP backs Ford

The Wheeling Township Republican Organization executive committee voted 12-4 recently to express its preference for President Gerald R. Ford over Ronald Reagan.

Township GOP Committeeman Fred Yonkers said a similar poll will be taken among township precinct captains on Feb. 16.

Yonkers said the committee will recommend the endorsing of William Heffernan for election as a convention delegate pledged to Ford.

He said the committee also will ask the organization to endorse Penny Pullen, who is running for the Illinois House from the 4th Legislative District. The group earlier endorsed State Rep. Eugene Schlickman, R-Arlington Heights for re-election. Schlickman also has garnered the support of the Maine Township Republican Organization for re-election.

Ford open house Sunday

The Schaumburg Township President Ford Committee will have an open house from 4 to 7 p.m. Sunday at the Moon Lake Village Clubhouse, Hoffman Estates.

William Palmer, the Ford campaign township coordinator, said the

event will be hosted by the delegate candidates who are pledged to Ford in the 12th Congressional District.

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Nick was standing near a water cooler in a cramped hallway which connects the state's attorney's quarters and judge's chambers at the Evanston branch of circuit court.

I asked what had been forgotten. "All these articles don't mention my wife and kids," Nick began. "I owe them so much, especially my wife. If something happened to her, I don't know what I'd do."

"She shares the happiness," Nick said. "It isn't much fun if you don't

have someone to share it with." And then Nick was back talking again about first time offenders, how people must work harder with them and how he always hopes never to see them in court another day.

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Schools

Wheeling-Buffalo Grove Dist. 21

Robert James, zoologist, teacher, author and entertainer will bring a monkey, iguana, boa constrictor and other animals when he visits area schools. In his program, James promotes a love for animals, an awareness of their plight and a realistic response to animals from the children.

James will visit two schools in Wheeling today. He will be at Holmes Junior High School, 212 S. Wolf Rd., at 9 a.m. and London Junior High School, 1001 W. Dundee Rd. at 1 p.m.

Students at Cooper Junior High School, 1050 W. Plum Grove Rd., Buffalo Grove will see the program Tuesday at 9 a.m.

Cooper Junior High School's concert winds will be playing 30-minute concerts of marches and popular music Wednesday for six elementary schools. The 45-member ensemble will perform for Alcott, Poe, Kilmer Irving, Riley and Longfellow schools.

Arlington Heights Dist. 25

Each class at Westgate School will make a sheet cake for a school birthday party Friday. The cakes will be assembled and decorated to represent a flag.

Students have been working on a number of Bicentennial projects. One class is planning to serve elk meat at a colonial dinner. Other projects include building a replica of the Mayflower, designing colonial clothing, making a quilt and planting red, white and blue tulips in front of the school. The school is at 1211 W. Grove St., Arlington Heights.

River Trails Dist. 26

A flower arranging demonstration by Mrs. Russell Christensen will highlight Park View School PTA's holiday salad luncheon Saturday at noon at the school, 805 Burning Bush Ln., Mount Prospect.

Mrs. Christensen is a master flower show judge and holds a life membership in the Garden Club of Illinois for her civic beautification projects. Her program will cover Japanese, modern, classical and interpretive flower arrangements.

Tickets are \$2 and sold in advance. For information contact Louise Jacobson, 827-2630.

Mount Prospect Dist. 57

"Children the challenge" will be the topic today at a parent education program at Westbrook School, The 9 a.m. meeting will be held in Room 111 of the school, 103 S. Busse Rd., Mount Prospect.

The Busse School PTA will present a Bicentennial county fair Thursday from 3:30 to 8:30 p.m. at the school, 101 N. Owen St., Mount Prospect.

Games, prizes, auctions, bake goods and entertainment will be featured at the fair. Italian beef and hot dog dinners will be available by advance tickets only.

"Happy Birthday America," a musical review by the St. James Christie Academy, will be presented Friday at Busse School, 101 N. Owen St., Mount Prospect. The public is invited to attend the 1:30 p.m. performance.

Saint James School

Chicago Bulls player Jerry Sloan and Doug Buffone of the Chicago Bears will be guests at St. James School's sports night Friday. The event will be held in the Parish Center, 820 N. Arlington Heights Rd., Arlington Heights and is sponsored by the school's Parents Club.

The St. James varsity basketball team and cheerleading squad recently were awarded the sportsmanship trophy at the St. Viator High School holiday basketball tournament.

St. Peter Lutheran School

Dr. Emanuel Cheraskin will discuss preventive medicine and nutrition at the Parent-Teacher Assn. of St. Peter Lutheran School Friday.

Dr. Cheraskin, chairman of the department of oral medicine at the University of Alabama, is the co-author of a Psychodietetics, Foods, The Key to Emotional Health.

The program at the school, 111 W. Olive St., Arlington Heights, will begin at 8 p.m. and admission is free. The program is open to all.

St. Thomas of Villanova

The community is invited to a bingo party Friday at St. Thomas of Villanova School. Doors will open at 7 p.m. and games will start at 7:30 in the Parish hall, 1141 E. Anderson Pl., Palatine.

Sacred Heart High School

A make-up placement test for prospective students will be held at Sacred Heart of Mary High School in Rolling Meadows at 8:30 a.m. Saturday.

All eighth grade girls in the area, who missed the January test, are invited to attend. Each girl is asked to bring two No. 2 pencils and a \$5 testing fee to the school.

A program explaining the freshman curriculum will be presented to prospective students and their parents in March. An appointment may be made at that time with a staff member to set up individual course selection.

High School Dist. 207

The Maine West High School music department will present its annual midwinter band concert Sunday at 3 p.m. in the school auditorium, 1755 S. Wolf Rd., Des Plaines. Admission is \$1 for adults and 75 cents for students. Golden Agers and Music Boosters cards will serve as admission passes.

The concert will feature the combined cadet and intermediate bands and the jazz and concert bands.

High School Dist. 214

The Choral League of Wheeling High School will serve an "all you can eat" spaghetti dinner Sunday from noon to 5 p.m. in the school cafeteria, 900 S. Elmhurst Rd., Wheeling.

A \$2 donation is asked for adults. Children under 6 years old are free.

For information call Jo Lang, 537-1050, or JoAnne Jenkins, 537-8703.

"Kid Stuff," a program of magic acts, escape artist, clowns, games and skits will be presented Saturday by Hersey High School's Magic Club. The program will be from 12:30 to 2:30 p.m. in the school's Little Theater, 1800 E. Thomas Ave., Arlington Heights.

Tickets at 75 cents will go on sale 45 minutes before showtime at the door, or can be purchased in advance in Room 131 at the high school.

Proceeds from the program will be used to purchase materials and supplies for use in the school's math and science resource center.

Race track admission tax to net village \$175,000

The Village of Arlington Heights expects to receive approximately \$175,000 in additional revenue in the 1976-77 fiscal year through an admissions tax at Arlington Park racetrack.

Though the ordinance levying the 10 cents per capita tax has not been adopted yet, no opposition is expected from village trustees. Arlington Park officials also are not expected to register objections because the tax can be passed directly to track patrons in the admission fees.

The local admission tax was approved in December by the Illinois legislature. At the same time, the state's admission tax was reduced from 40 to 15 cents.

Trustee Frank Palmatier, chairman of the village board's finance committee, said the local tax is welcomed because it should help keep the real estate tax rate down.

"THE REVENUE we'll receive should be a significant amount," Palmatier said. "There is a tendency for real estate taxes to creep upward unless the village finds other sources of revenue. It may be only a small percentage of the overall budget, but it would take about 5 cents on the real estate tax to raise that amount."

"I think we can count on this admission tax continuing indefinitely," he said.

The actual revenue the village will

receive through the local admission tax at the racetrack will depend on the number of racing dates and attendance, Village Mgr. L.A. Hanson said at Monday's budget hearing. With an average daily attendance of 15,000 and 109 racing dates scheduled this season, \$175,000 is the estimated revenue for the village, he said.

The finance committee will conduct its second hearing tonight on the \$6.1 million general fund budget unveiled Monday. It will begin at 8 p.m. at the municipal building, 33 S. Arlington Heights Rd. Tonight's schedule includes reviews of proposed budgets for the police, building, engineering and health departments.

Youth council fund plan uncertain

The Arlington Heights Youth Council has unanimously rejected a village administration report calling for either total funding of the park council or program by the park district or village control of the program.

The council voted Monday to ask the village board to allocate \$19,550 to the program, which places professional counselors in the six major parks to curb vandalism and rowdiness. The council voted to retain the present system of village funding and

park administration of the program.

Village Administrative Assistant James Holzwarth in a report said if the main objective of the program is to maintain order in the parks, private security forces could be employed at a savings of 30 to 40 per cent. He said private guards could be hired at \$5 per hour, as opposed to the \$8 per hour pay for the counselors.

Both the village and the park district have said the placing of regular police personnel in the parks on a

regular basis would be too expensive.

HOLZWARTH'S REPORT suggested a village funding pullout at a rate of 25 per cent annually, with the park district eventually assuming full project funding.

If the present method of funding is retained, Holzwarth said, "The responsibility for administering this program should reside in the funding agency (the village)."

He suggested that the village, rather than the park district, would be responsible for recruiting and hiring the counselors. A park district supervisor would be consulted in the final appointments.

The park supervisor, according to the report, would be responsible for work schedules and would report on a regular basis to the village personnel director.

THE PARK DISTRICT has maintained it does not have the money to fund the program and that problems in the parks are a reflection of problems of the village as a whole.

While it does not supply direct program funding under the present method, the park said it contributes substantially by administering and supervising the program.

The Holzwarth report parallels recommendations of the special committee studying village involvement in social service programs. The committee said the village should gradually withdraw its financial support of the program in favor of the park district.

Dist. 25 seeks deficit solutions

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1981 and the program would go to Miner Junior High. Sixth graders would remain at Kensington School and North School would be closed.

BECAUSE enrollment will remain high in the Berkley School-Rand Junior High School area, Berkley could not be closed and combined with Rand at any time during the next 10 years, according to the report.

The combination of junior highs with nearby elementary schools would mean that elementary students would still be within walking distance to school, but average class sizes would be increased from 25 students to about 30 students, and the combination would have a limited cost savings.

The district would have to spend between \$15,000 and \$25,000 to remodel junior high school buildings for elementary school students, but would then save about \$48,000 in maintenance and staff costs per year at each of the combined schools.

TUESDAY THE administration also presented a report on the impact on district finances of cutbacks in staff and programs.

Supt. Donald Strong said the report was "not presented as cuts in fat or as cuts in luxury" in the district's budget. All the programs earmarked for possible cuts have a function which "relates directly to kids," he said.

The report shows a reduction in seven areas which would save the district about \$1.3 million next year if all the cuts are implemented.

The report includes costs savings in reducing capital outlay, maintenance administration and instruction support funds; the reduction of 43 teaching positions; closing one school; cutting back staff in administration, counseling, gifted programs, learning disabilities programs, psychologists and teacher center staff; cuts in instructional support staff; and the transfer of sixth graders from junior highs to elementary schools.

MORE SEVERE cutbacks listed in the report which could be necessary are the cutback of 25 more teaching positions, and the elimination of band programs, reduction of district staff and consultants, elimination of gifted programs, reductions in instructional support staff, elimination of athletics programs and reduction in programs in speech therapy.

The district is already facing a financial deficit of about \$552,000 next

The local scene

100th birthday celebrated

A party was given recently at the Americana Healthcare Center, Arlington Heights, for Serepta Lambert in honor of her 100th birthday.

Entertainment was provided by 20 students of the Arlington Heights Music for Youth string program under the direction of Donna Cook.

Miss Lambert was a full-time registered nurse at Grant Hospital in Chicago until she was 85.

Scout in Citizenship Day

Tim Tatlock, 14, of 606 Tanglewood Dr., Arlington Heights, recently acted as director of the Illinois Dept. of Revenue in Springfield in conjunction with Eagle Scout State Citizenship Day. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stehmeier.

Blood pressure tests

The Arlington Heights Nurses Club will sponsor a blood pressure alert Saturday.

The alert, designed to increase awareness of heart diseases, will feature free blood pressure testing at three village locations from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. The locations are Turnstyle in the North Point Shopping Center, the Arlington Heights Memorial Library and the Medicare Pharmacy, 15 S. Evergreen Ave.

VFW benefit Feb. 18

Arlington Heights VFW Post 981 will host a fashion show to benefit cancer research Feb. 18.

The show will begin at 8 p.m. at the VFW clubhouse, 811 N. Yale Ave. Admission is \$1.50 at the door.

Parade deadlines told

Entries for the Arlington Heights Memorial Day and Fourth of July parades are now being taken by Edward Doyle, 1221 S. Pine St. The Memorial parade deadline for floats and marching groups is April 16.

The deadline for entries for the Fourth of July parade is June 1.

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Legislative allocation stands: judge

Walker wins in school aid suit

by KATHERINE BOYCE

Gov. Daniel Walker has won the first round in his suit against the Illinois Board of Education to prevent the board from paying schools more state aid per month than appropriated by the legislature.

Sangamon County Circuit Court Judge Waldo Acherman ruled in favor of the governor Tuesday. Julia Dempsey, attorney for the state board, said she will now take the case to the Illinois Appellate Court in Sangamon County.

In November, the state board voted to distribute monthly state aid to

schools in an amount equal to one-twelfth of the annual amount schools are entitled to under the current state aid formula.

WALKER CUT the legislature's school appropriations by \$81 million last summer. He has since insisted the state board distribute monthly aid in an amount equal to one-twelfth the annual sum based on the reduced appropriation. When the state board refused to comply, the Governor went to court.

The judge chose a "literal reading" of the statute on state aid disbursements, said Dempsey, and would

not consider past practices. For several years the state has disbursed aid according to the formula rather than the appropriation.

A bill that would have clarified the state board's power to distribute aid according to the formula died in the legislature last year. The judge ruled the matter of state aid disbursement was "more clearly" in the realm of the legislature, said Dempsey, but the judge also left the state board with the option of taking the case to the Illinois Supreme Court.

If state aid is prorated according to the formula rather than the appropriation, schools would receive an ad-

ditional \$2.5 million in state funds per month, but funds would run out before the end of the fiscal year.

THE STATE'S last payment in June would be cut between \$60 and \$70 million if the legislature does not pass a supplemental appropriation next spring.

Last month the state board gave tentative approval to its proposed education budget, which included a request for a \$100 million supplemental appropriation from the Illinois General Assembly this spring.

Walker has opposed the request saying the state has no additional money for schools this year.

NW municipal unit recommends:

'Back realty transfer tax law'

The executive board of the North West Municipal Conference will recommend that the 16-member group endorse legislation to enforce local real estate transfer taxes.

Executive Director William Muhlenfeld said the legislation will require the county recorder's office to withhold processing real estate transactions until a local tax payment has been verified.

Arlington Heights, Des Plaines and Hoffman Estates all have considered imposing the tax as a new source of revenue, but have dropped plans be-

cause they could get no assurance that the recorder's office would enforce the tax.

The tax would be charged to the seller of property.

The state imposes a mandatory real estate transfer tax on property sales. Chicago is the only other municipality in the county that imposes a local tax.

LOCAL OFFICIALS have said the only way to enforce payment of the tax is to get cooperation from the recorder of deeds' office. Currently, the recorder's office is only legally required to enforce the state tax payment.

Suburban officials have said, however, the recorder also is enforcing the Chicago tax.

"This has been the problem all along. The recorder's office will enforce a real estate transfer tax for Chicago, but not for the Northwest suburbs," Muhlenfeld said.

The board's recommendation is to urge state legislators to enact legislation that would force the recorder's office to honor all real estate transfer taxes, he said.

"CURRENTLY, we don't have any definite sponsors for bills, but we're

working on it," he said. "We hope to have something to present when the conference meets Wednesday."

The five-member executive board voted Jan. 28 to endorse the legislation.

Serving on the board are Elk Grove Village Pres. Charles Zetek, Mount Prospect Mayor Robert Teichert, Hanover Park Pres. Lou Barone, Niles Village Mgr. Ken Scheel, and Elk Grove Village Mgr. Charles Willis.

Sale to benefit Camp Fire Girls

Camp Fire Girls from Arlington Heights will be participating in the organization's annual candy sale from Feb. 20 through March 8.

The Camp Fire Girls will be going door-to-door selling mints, toffee, nut crunch and snack mix. Sales booths will also be set up in the village.

Proceeds from the candy sale will be used to finance various Camp Fire Girl activities throughout the year. The girls get credits toward fees at day camp or Camp Tiyalaka in Wisconsin for the candy they sell. Each Camp Fire group also retains its share of the collection for individual group activities.

Howlett puts self in new controversy

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list of itemized deductions which Howlett claimed for the year.

THE TAX SITUATIONS marked the second controversy Howlett has started himself in the past two weeks.

Howlett told reporters he has resigned from the Sun Steel post, the firm which paid him \$225,000 since 1960, because "I do not wish to permit the campaign for governor to be diverted from the real issues."

While Howlett announced he resigned from the post, he was quick to point out that he does not believe the situation represents a conflict of interest. He said Sun Steel and the M.S. Kaplan Co. Inc., which owns 55 per cent of Sun Steel, never did any business with state.

Hu said he performed labor and

sales consulting for the company during the period he served as state auditor and later as secretary of state.

HOWLETT SAID he did not seek any clients for the company after he was elected to public office. He also said to the best of his knowledge none of the clients he advised Sun Steel on did business with the state. Howlett declined to name the sales clients.

Howlett called the campaign and income disclosures "a key issue in the campaign."

He also criticized Walker for not releasing the contributors to his 1972 campaign.

Walker aides revealed early Tuesday Walker would make the contributors list public soon.

"Gov. Walker and his people would have you believe there is a question when I receive \$15,000 from a com-

pany which does no business whatsoever with the state. But they do not believe there is a conflict when Dan Walker asks for and gets \$2 million from people doing business with agencies he controls.

Howlett also released a statement which reported his net worth at \$78,500, including \$29,000 in state pension funds, \$28,000 in life insurance and \$12,000 equity in a house in Long Beach, Ind. He also revealed he lost \$8,000 on the sale of a home in Chicago in 1975.

Father kills wife, shoots self: cops

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been nights I have cried. It hurts down deep."

At Christmas, Mrs. Buenger thought she would not have enough money to buy any gifts for the children, but after a Herald story, residents from throughout the Northwest suburbs called with promises for presents.

SHE HAD SAID she thought the financial turnabout was bringing the family closer together and things

were no longer taken for granted as they had in the past.

Mrs. Buenger found a job recently and worked nights as a waitress at a nearby restaurant.

Authorities said if they did not find relatives in the area, the Buenger's four children, ranging from third grade to a sophomore in high school, would be turned over to the Illinois Dept. of Children and Family Services.

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Seven camper wreck victims mourned at funeral

Amelia Lee Lowe walked into Carlyle High School gymnasium Tuesday with her head bowed for funeral services of her husband and six grandchildren.

The seven were killed Saturday night when a camper truck her husband had been driving was struck by a freight train at an unmarked crossing near Carlyle.

The perfume of flowers filled the gym as the Rev. Victor Sulowski of St. Mary's Catholic Church began a 45-minute service.

"Since last Saturday, we have shared the sorrow that overcame you, and our hope is founded on the Rock

of Christ himself. Let us remember that there was Good Friday before Easter Sunday. They, too, shall rise to eternal glory," he said.

The service ended with the seven caskets taken to three separate cemeteries.

29th nursing home victim

Another elderly person died Tuesday, bringing the toll of two Chicago area nursing home fires to 29. Lilian Flood, 75, died in St. Francis Hospital in Evanston, and became the 22nd victim of the fire in the Wincrest Nursing and Rest Home Jan. 30. Earlier, Julia Holmes, 75, died in Edgewater Hospi-

Illinois briefs

tal. She had been in critical condition from the Wincrest fire.

State files Medicaid suit

The Illinois Dept. of Public Aid filed suit Tuesday, seeking court backing for a new plan designed to reduce the total amount of state Medicaid payments to hospitals.

The suit was filed in U.S. District

Court by Atty. Gen. William J. Scott's office.

The suit asks the court to forbid the U.S. Dept. of Health, Education and Welfare from blocking a new rate structure proposed for distributing Medicaid payments to hospitals.

Freeway start set for April

Gov. Daniel Walker said Tuesday that construction is expected to begin in April on a \$250 million four-lane North-South Freeway to replace the narrow U.S. Rte. 51 between Rockford and Salem.

The project is part of the Supple-

mental Freeway System, developed during former Gov. Richard B. Ogilvie's administration.

Slabs fall off building

Chicago Inspectors Tuesday closed off parts of two streets around Water Tower Place, a new showase building on N. Michigan Avenue, while they checked the security of marble slabs on the building's facing.

A physician, Dr. Martin Brandfonbrener, 48, narrowly escaped death Monday night when a slab fell from the seventh floor level of the building and struck his automobile. Another

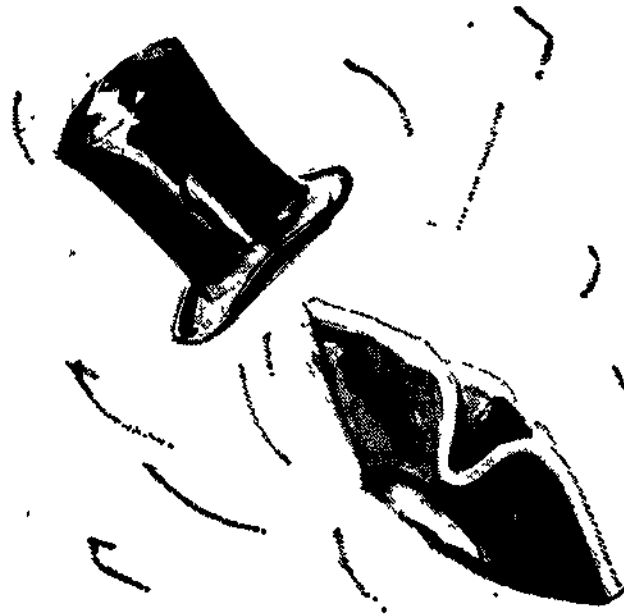
slab fell Monday night and still another Tuesday.

Frozen body found in car

A woman found last week frozen in the trunk of an apparently abandoned car in McHenry county has been identified through dental charts as a resident of Sacramento, Calif.

The charts showed that she was Betty Pleasant, 23, of Sacramento.

Police believe her car ran out of gas last November and she may have crawled into the trunk to sleep. The body was found last Thursday during a routine inspection.



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93,000 to be affected in state

College students face cuts in aid

Illinois college students receiving Illinois State Scholarship Commission monetary awards for 1975-76 will be receiving notices their awards must be reduced for the second semester or third quarter term of this school year. The adjustments will affect about 93,000 students on state scholarships.

Scholarships will be reduced \$6 to \$90. The decrease is necessary because an additional 4,300 students were enrolled with state scholarships, according to a spokesman. Without the adjustments, the commission estimates it would have been about \$4 million short.

Scholarships to full-time students will be reduced by 8 per cent for first semester students, 12 per cent for second semester students and 18 per cent for third quarter students. The commission is seeking a supplemental appropriation from the General Assembly for the \$3.95 million cut

from its budget by the legislature last year. If additional funds are approved, all students will be notified of the amount for which they will qualify.

This year more than 180,000 students sought either loan or grant aid through the commission's major programs. About \$107 million in aid is being provided this year.

Isolated cases of influenza reported in area schools

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that period right now," she said.

ABSENTEEISM was reported up in Schaumburg Township Dist. 54 schools, but Mill Derr, associate superintendent, said there were no present indications of a flu epidemic.

Other Northwest school districts reported only a normal number of absences for this time of year.

St. Mary's Catholic School, Des Plaines, reported above-average absenteeism. And Regina High School, Wilmette, was closed Tuesday because of flu absences.

Notre Dame High School, Niles, was closed late last week because of widespread illness among teachers at the school.

The only officially-recognized in-

fluenza epidemic in Illinois is reported at Northwestern University in Evanston.

HEALTH OFFICERS at the university's infirmary have seen about 100 cases of flu in the past 10 days, Barbara Reid, assistant to the health director at Northwestern, said Tuesday. Cases began turning up a week ago Saturday and have since tapered off slightly. But Northwestern already has passed the total number of flu cases it recorded in the past two years, she said.

Across Cook County, there has been a slight increase in the number of influenza cases, reported, Dr. Collette Rasmussen, director of preventive medicine for the Cook County Public

Health Dept., said Tuesday.

"We're awfully late in the season and we're hoping things won't be too bad," she said, adding that a lot of people who get a common cold jump to the conclusion they have the flu.

The Illinois Dept. of Public Health has isolated 13 type A flu viruses this season, practically all of them from Cook County, said Dr. Giuseppe Cuboni, state epidemiologist.

"So far we have no indication that major epidemics have occurred in any part of the state," he said.

Cuboni agreed that the lateness of the winter lessens the chances of a widespread flu epidemic. But he cautioned that there is no such thing as a cut-off date to the flu season.

Mail delivery to be suspended Monday

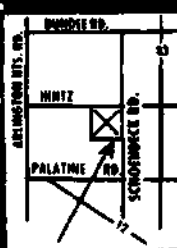
Regular residential and business mail delivery will be suspended Monday, the day of federal observance of George Washington's birthday, the U.S. Postal Service has announced.

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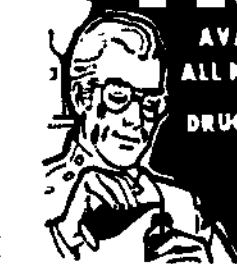
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The way we see it

We don't need SST's menace

Northwest suburban residents should be especially wary of the recent decision to let the Concorde SST jetliner land in the United States.

Transportation Sec. William T. Coleman announced last week that permission has been granted to Great Britain and France to let the jet land at Dulles and Kennedy airports on the east coast beginning March 4.

The landings are termed "experimental" and FAA officials have vowed they would never permit the Concorde to land inland.

We disagree with both the experiment and the promise.

According to environmentalists, our atmosphere can be heavily damaged by the 18-month experiment, based on scientists' findings that the aircraft's exhaust can erode the earth's ozone layer.

The Concorde also has the loud-est aircraft engines in commercial aviation. Environmentalists claim that on take-offs and landings the Concorde will produce a nightmarish sound

that can be injurious to the hearing of those residents and business employees near airports.

As for the promise, if the first Concorde flights should prove commercially lucrative, we fear pressure could be brought upon the FAA and other U.S. officials to allow Concorde to serve inland airports. O'Hare Airport surely would be among these inland destinations since it is the world's busiest airport.

We feel action must be taken immediately by our legislators to block the March 4 experiment. They should examine every possible means of stopping the flights, despite a certain backlash from foreign diplomats.

Coleman's decision was a bad one and our congressmen and senators should act immediately to rescind this action. Unless action is taken immediately, the Concorde will have an unstop-pable foothold toward becoming a nuisance and menace, not only to the nation, but to our immediate area.



I thought we decided not to let that dirty bird in here!!

She urges 'value for tax dollars'

Would like to commend the Schaumburg Township Dist. 54 board and administration on going to the public, at this time, for a tax increase. School districts, like large companies, must have operating and maintenance funds to function.

But just as we are expecting value for money spent in stores today, we expect value for dollars we spend on our schools. In the past many Ameri-

cans had cash to buy frills and accepted inferior products for the short-term happiness they brought.

Now, we are rethinking our needs and the things we value most. Educating our children ranks high with us, but in wanting value for money we are not ready to believe that spending cash alone, will give us the education we want for our children.

• Are our teachers receiving, in the

classroom, guidance and direction from their administrators?

• Are teachers encouraged to value each teaching minute and preparing alternative plans to give the children the maximum in meaningful school experiences?

• Are their materials carefully collected and reviewed so time is not wasted with inferior teaching aids?

• Are permanent records used in planning for individualized teaching?

• Do we have structured curriculums, for each grade, in which lesson plans and material gathering becomes more organized and easier?

• Are team-teaching programs, in subject areas where certain teachers have outstanding experience or flair, being developed?

• Are we making the most of such things as eight-year-old encyclopedias, which are still valid in many areas and can be used most effectively in the study of current changes in the world and the importance of questioning all printed material and its relevance?

• What happens to wornout materials? Do old maps and globes go into the trash along with outdated texts, or can they be used differently, but in a meaningful way or at least sold by the PTA in money raising activities?

Another moon expedition could be financed with the money the United States has wasted in the last few years.

Let's utilize those things which our district has and make the most of our new acquisitions. Common sense and our times demand it of us.

Barbara Fansher
Hoffman Estates

Fence post

letters to the editor

Arlington Heights firemen lauded

Recently my husband and I had two minor emergencies in our house — each requiring the assistance of the Arlington Heights Fire Department. Not only did the firemen respond promptly to our calls, but they showed genuine concern for our safety, mental and physical well-being, and the condition of our house.

As I am in my eighth month of pregnancy, I certainly appreciated their consideration of both my two-year-old and me. The firemen's professionalism and friendliness had an especially calming effect on us.

In the first situation in particular in which a water pipe had burst in the wall causing water to pour into three

rooms of the house, the firemen truly were sensational — working "above and beyond the call of duty" to vacuum up the water and leave our house in fine shape.

We felt these men should be commended on their fine work. It is comforting to know that we can count on our Arlington firemen to do their best for us in times of emergency.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lemel
Arlington Heights

New Hampshire 'favorite'

'Carter first leader'

by NEA/London Economist News Service

CONCORD — (LENS) — The long series of presidential primary elections opens in New Hampshire on Feb. 24. The state of New Hampshire is jealous of its traditional position as the holder of the earliest primary and so, to be sure of being first, it advanced the date this year to get in ahead of interloping Massachusetts, which will now hold its primary election one week later.

Ronald Reagan has already been out working hard in the snow for a strong showing against President Ford, and five of the 10 declared candidates for the Democratic nomination are slipping and sliding about the state in contest for position.

NEW HAMPSHIRE voters have a reputation for causing upsets that makes the primary a great chance for outsiders. The result is certainly of no importance for the number of delegate votes on offer for the conventions later in the year. New Hampshire sends only 17 delegates to the Democratic convention and 21 to the Republican convention, less than 1 per cent of the total in either case. But victories in New Hampshire for a favorite, or unexpectedly good results for a poorly rated outsider, have in the past given campaigns a momentum that was hard to stop.

This year it is different. All the Democratic candidates are in a sense outsiders and there is no clear favorite. As elsewhere in the country, many New Hampshire voters are undecided, and are finding it hard to tell the Democratic candidates apart. The local Democratic faithful were recently addressed over dinner by four of the five entered on the February ballot: Jimmy Carter of Georgia, Sen. Birch Bayh of Indiana, Fred Harris, a former senator from Oklahoma, and Rep. Morris Udall of Arizona.

As if to illustrate the predicament of the candidates, the au-

dience was neatly seated in four sections and each part applauded with the same degree of measured enthusiasm for its favored candidate.

TERRY SANFORD of North Carolina, originally on the ballot as well, is bowing out of the race altogether. Sargent Shriver is concentrating on a so-far ill organized campaign in Massachusetts, where he hopes to profit from his association with the Kennedy family.

If any Democratic candidate leads the pack at the moment it is Jimmy Carter. His possibly premature status as a front-runner, acquired in Iowa, has already been somewhat clouded in Mississippi. But that should not hurt him badly in New Hampshire, where his southern rival, George Wallace, is not a candidate. Carter is being treated by the other Democrats here as the man they must beat.

Carter's political assets are considerable. He is energetic, getting out into temperatures well below freezing to press hands. Behind the sunny smile, he has a single-mindedness and eagerness to win

that his competitors lack. He can sound conservative, which may help him with voters in New Hampshire, but liberal too, and he draws for active support on campaign workers and local worthies from both ends of the Democratic party spectrum.

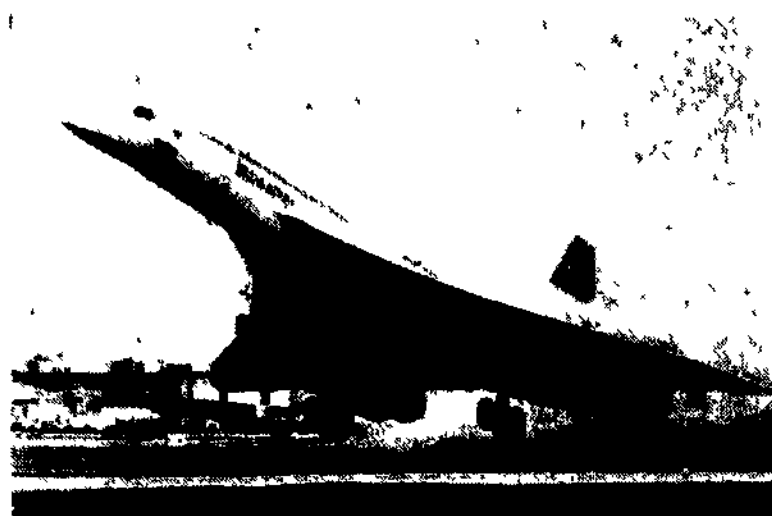
Like Morris Udall, Carter has spent a lot of money in New Hampshire and his local organization is good.

BUT NOW THAT Carter has edged ahead of the pack, his record is coming under close scrutiny. Carter wants a "reorganization" of the federal bureaucracy in Washington, but on this he is not much different from plenty of other candidates, right and left, Democrat and Republican.

He must correct the impression that he avoids clear stands on hard issues and confront critics of his record as governor of Georgia (He won the Georgia statehouse by courting white segregationist votes, only to announce a policy of moderation immediately he took office.) He has drawn fire from trade unions for failing to give sharp answers about removing right-to-work clauses that impede union shops, and from both sides in the debate over abortion for his studied ambiguities on this issue in Iowa.

He betrays a weakness, which will no doubt be corrected as the campaign intensifies, for saying one thing and meaning another. "Voluntary integration, yes, forced integration, no," he said in New Hampshire this week, only to insist the next morning that what he had meant to say was "forced busing, no." A rejection of "forced integration" is a slogan not even George Wallace would avow. This was just a slip of the tongue, but the same day Carter was obliged to telephone Hubert Humphrey with an apology for a couple of unguarded and uncomplimentary remarks about the senator's age and his record as a loser of presidential contests.

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Budget revision: wise approach for Dist. 59

The Elk Grove Township Dist. 59 Board of Education has decided to avoid a deficit and consider balancing the 1976-77 education budget — a move certainly in the best interest of the district.

The board changed its original direction in preparing the budget and asked the administration to project the effect of a balanced budget on educational programs.

We hope the board follows through with this initial step, despite probable cuts in programs and personnel.

Dist. 59 has been debt-ridden for many years and the pattern is a dangerous one — particularly when schools can no longer count on endless state aid dollars, climbing real estate assessments and expanding student enrollment.

The board is acting against the advice of its superintendent, Roger Bardwell, who has maintained that despite annual deficits the district is in good financial shape and that using its borrowing power is "really sound financing."

Although we respect Bardwell as an educator, we totally disagree with his fiscal reasoning. We also fear he could make it tough for the board to pursue a balanced budget and we can only remind board members it's their job to set fiscal policy for Dist. 59.

Garbage hike ripped

In order to remind you of my prediction in October, 1973, I am sending to The Herald a copy of my letter in which I stated that Laseke would come crying and the village would reward him with additional increases.

I congratulate President Ryan and Trustee Bettman for having guts enough to cast votes against the requested increase, otherwise the rest of the board would have given Laseke not only the approved increase but additional money for Social Security, postage, etc.

My Social Security and postage cost has increased but I can't go to my boss and ask for more money to cover these increases. Most Laseke customers are in the same position.

I hope the village has learned from this "bad" contract, but I am sure where Laseke is concerned you will do it again. Why change after more than 24 years?

I am sure in six months you will listen to another tale of woe and heal the wounds with more money. That will set a precedent for increases every six months instead of the present yearly ones.

I hope the members of the board who voted for Laseke can break precedent next time. It would be a shock but a pleasant one.

Robert L. Yowell
Arlington Heights

Upsetting demolition

I was upset to read in The Herald that the property at Bothwell and Wood is marked for demolition. I have been told that this is the house that Captain Magon Sutherland left when he went off to the Civil War and that after his death near Vicksburg his wife raised their family there. Later additions have marred the lines of the house, but the original brick part should have more significance to Palatine than the Victorian house selected for the museum. I would hope some individual might investigate the soundness of the original part and become interested in restoring it as a residence. It seems a shame that it should be destroyed.

Bernice Johnson
Palatine



JIMMY CARTER

Dateline 1776

(by United Press International)
SAVANNAH, Feb. 11 — Georgia's Royal Gov. Wright escaped house arrest and succeeded in gaining sanctuary aboard one of the British warships anchored at the mouth of the Savannah River. Archibald Bullock, a great-great-grandfather of Theodore Roosevelt, was named chief magistrate for the colony.

Carter adds special touch to each stop

EDITOR'S NOTE: Herald political writer Steve Brown spent last Saturday with former Georgia Gov. Jimmy Carter as he campaigned through Illinois. Here is Brown's report and analysis of the one day fly-around.

by STEVE BROWN

The Plains (Ga.) peanut farmer returned to Illinois. There was a lot more attention for Jimmy Carter on this trip as the rapid fire speaker ripped through seven towns in one day.

He is a frontrunner now. Maybe not THE frontrunner, but his name has emerged from the anonymous gaggle of Democratic Presidential candidates.

Carter has been to Illinois before and it seemed in his low key, soft spoken way, the southerner was as interested in reminding people of past visits as he was meeting his supporters.

THE PEANUT makes up a big part of the Carter mystique. Staff members all wear gold "Carter" pins shaped like the peanut. His supporters sell bags of the delicacy outside every rally to raise funds.

In his standard campaign remarks, Carter reminds the crowds he has been running for president for more than a year. In Illinois, he tossed in a reminder that he was here even earlier working for candidates and speaking to groups.

There are a lot of thoughts collected during a day with Carter. In the aftermath of Watergate, the campaign method has become nearly as important the message.

From the metallic walls of the Galaxy Ballroom in the O'Hare Hilton Hotel to a cramped airport waiting room in Decatur, Carter's message is the same.

There are other scenes worth recounting.

O'HARE HILTON: Here a man rises to ask a question in Spanish about education. Carter indicates he understands the questions and responds in English. A somewhat cynical reporter tells a campaign aide the technique was a nice touch and inquires how many more times the question be repeated during the day. Much later in the trip it is learned Carter reads a chapter of the Bible each night in Spanish just to keep up with the language.

WAUKEGAN: The "I've been here before message" begins, but as it does, Carter has a big bear hug for Betty Spence. He remarks later to the crowd how he campaigned for Spence when she was beaten by U.S. Rep. Philip Crane, R-12th in 1974.

He tells about 400 persons packed into a hall at St. Dismas Catholic Church that he helped bring credibility to Spence's campaign. She nods agreement.

DePAGE COUNTY: At Pheasant Run he tells another 400 persons at the fundraiser that he would like to have enough money to run a good campaign. People tend to listen to Carter rather than greet him with wild enthusiasm, but at this stop, his remarks are repeatedly interrupted with applause.

"I'll never be a better President than I am a candidate."

ROCKFORD: Candidate Carter gets a new question, he admits after the stop. A member of Common Cause asks if he will submit a proposed federal budget for 1977 before the November general election. He said he will, but at the airport appearance and later on the plane, Carter refused to be pinned down on specifics.

"It is so seldom you get a different question."

PEORIA: "Well lets see how well this plays here, a young Carter staffer remarks, referring of course to the Nixon-era strategy of measuring success by the reaction from this central Illinois town.

Carter is beginning to look tired. There is little respite aboard the plane. Quick briefings on each stop supplement the 200 page Illinois issues book he digested on his early morning flight from New York and the ever-inquiring press lines await each hop.

While he starts tired, Carter catches himself during the latter stages of the 30-minute stop and puts a spark into his presentation.

A woman in the crowd remarks that at least the candidate is on time, a somewhat remarkable feat for a politician.

"At least he is prompt, I waited 2½ hours here for George



Presidential candidate Jimmy Carter.

McGovern in 1972," she remarked. Carter also warms to the comments from a former Georgian who applauds Carter leadership of that state.

• DECATUR: A thought, will the candidate continue to tire during the trip? A stiff tail wind pushes the plane into the soybean capitol of the world a few minutes ahead of schedule. Carter is whisked off to a separate room for the obligatory picture taking scene with the delegate candidates backing him.

On time, he emerges from the sideroom, looking better — the first results from the Oklahoma delegate caucus voting show him running ahead.

He cautions a small crowd, cramped in a tiny waiting room, it is too early to tell if the margin will hold up.

The heat in the room increases and one television reporter nearly faints, but Carter goes on to answer questions and describe the race he intends to run in the primaries.

At this stop he offers his first public criticism of efforts by Mayor Richard Daley and Gov. Daniel Walker to run delegate slates. He charged the "uncommitted" delegate candidates deprive the voter of a place in the decision making process. During one of those airborne interviews earlier in the day, Carter said aides had heard from sources close to the mayor that Daley will support Carter if he wins in Illinois.

Some observers suggested that "close sources to the mayor" may whisper the same thing to other candidates.

• SPRINGFIELD: Just before landing here, Carter tells aides to kill the prepared text of his speech he is scheduled to give later to the Illinois Farmer's Union Convention. He said he has given it too many times and is tired of it. Generally the speech condemns Sec. of Agriculture Earl Butz.

"Ho hum," remark a few reporters over the turn of events, but others, who have already filed a few of the pointed quotes for their Sunday editions, wince. "No problem" said an aide, "Carter will stand by the remarks."

The day is nearly finished for Jimmy Carter, he does another press conference, shakes hands in a reception and boards his plane for the last of his brief encounters with reporters.

The 51-year-old, ex-governor, ex-Navy man, remarks that one of the few things which anger him is being behind schedule.

A reporter observes that Carter must be something special. How else could a man tromp through ice and snow all day and still have shiny shoes at midnight?

There is a long way for Carter to go. Both his aides and the candidate himself admit it. Until the first primaries in New Hampshire and Florida, Carter's strength will not be tested.

Carter hopes to do well in those states and plans to blitz Illinois in the week that falls between the Florida voting and before and the March 16 voting here.

He calls Illinois the "big one" and if success comes first in New Hampshire and Florida, the Illinois voting may be just that for Carter.

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Carpet company reports profit jump

Galaxy Carpet Mills Inc. will report increased first quarter sales and earnings, said Irwin Harvey, president.

Harvey said at the company's recent annual shareholders meeting in Chicago that sales reached \$14.8 million for the 13 weeks ending Dec. 27. The figure compares to sales of \$11.8 million for the same period a year earlier.

First quarter earnings figures will show a small profit compared to a loss a year ago, Harvey said. Rising consumer income, a backlog of orders and the opening of a Philadelphia distribution center contributed to improved profitability, he said. Galaxy is headquartered in Elk Grove Village.

Valentine's Day is Feb. 14

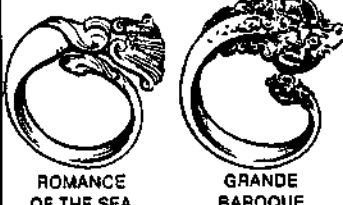
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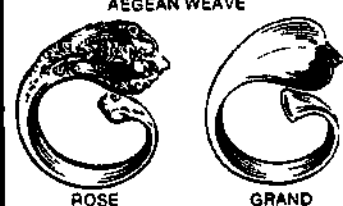
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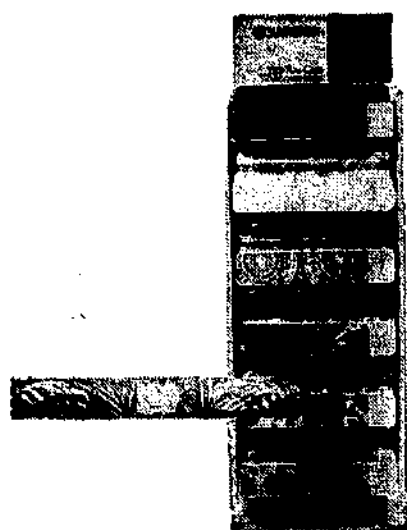
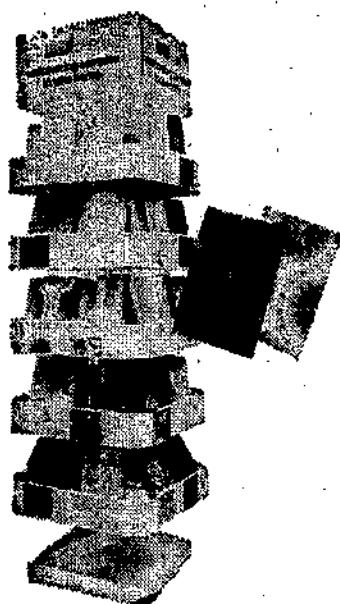
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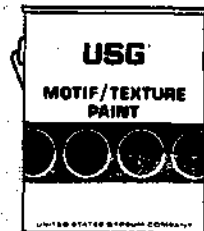
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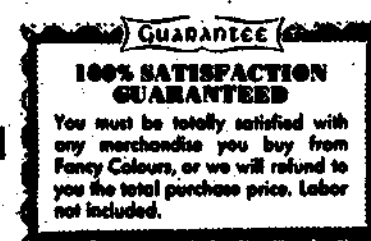
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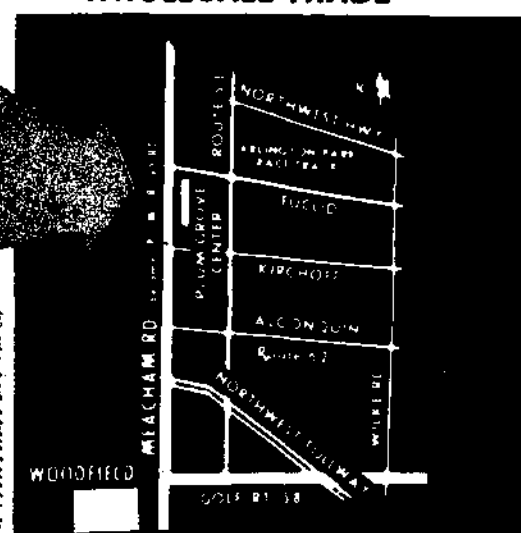
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Show business taught her about people says social worker Barbara Anderson.

Barbara Anderson

From tumbler to social worker

by BILLIE BACHHUBER

Barbara F. Anderson went from "show biz" to social work. And for Barbara, psychiatric social worker at Clearbrook Vocational Workshop in Elk Grove Village, leaving the bright lights for more realistic work seems perfectly logical.

"The variety of experiences has been a good thing in my job as a social worker. I learned what people are like, and what is important to them," she said.

Barbara learned such lessons in life early. Studying ballet at age 9, tap a year later and acrobatics at 12, she and brother David were dancing partners when she was 13, he 14.

The couple first danced in recitals, small benefits and the like while students at Frances School of Dancing in Gary, Ind. "We got good exposure...and good experience at the school," Barbara recalled.

THE BROTHER-sister team turned professional a year later, dancing tap routines, then adagio with some deadpan comedy thrown in — state fairs being one of their showcases. And they were learning Arabian tumbling at the same time.

"Arabian tumbling is easier and better for the health than other acrobatics. Some performers still tumble in their eighties," said Barbara.

Receiving more requests for tumbling acts than for dancing, the youngsters eventually became part of a teenage tumbling troupe, The Atomic Six. They traveled the United

States, performing hundreds of times during their adolescent years.

The tumblers played such widely known spots as the Palace Theater in New York, Hollywood Bowl in California and Soldier Field in Chicago. TV appearances with Mary Hartline and Super Circus and with Mickey Mouse Club are among Barbara's treasured memories.

"We put on makeup and filmed 35 minutes — respliced to seven minutes — a performance that still plays on Mickey Mouse Club. I love to catch it just for fun," Barbara confided, eyes sparkling.

THE ATOMIC Six, chaperoned in all their travels by several sets of parents, was rated an excellent act in Variety, a show business newspaper. A 1953 picture-story in Seventeen Magazine depicted them "Youngsters in Show Business," Barbara reminisced, thumbing through her scrapbook.

While working summers, Barbara attended high school classes with no conflict. But once the tumblers began working year round, she was in trouble, she recalled. Though she enrolled in correspondence school and earned good grades, and eventually a diploma, she was ordered back to school by a judge. "But once I was 16, I quit school with pleasure!"

Barbara, who now holds a master's degree in social work, said she heartily enjoyed telling that same judge he was wrong.

At 18 Barbara joined Pollack Shrine Circus. In addition to her tumbling act, she did an iron-jaw routine, earn-

ing an extra \$75 a week. "An iron-jaw routine is hanging from a swivel leather mouthpiece which holds a slack wire for another performer to walk, dance, do splits and otherwise perform upon," she explained.

BARBARA RATES her show business experience a pleasant and valuable period in her life. "I learned the variety and uniqueness of people. I learned there's no right way. I learned about physical anomalies; what it's like to be a midget, about homosexuality and about many nationalities."

Leaving show business upon the recommendation of an orthopedic surgeon who diagnosed a back problem, Barbara began working in personnel, switched to reception, studied typing and worked for an advertising agency. Then college beckoned.

She enrolled in extension classes at Indiana University's Gary Center, earning scholarships to continue her education there and at the Bloomington campus.

In college, Barbara helped start a student newspaper, was active in campus politics and met husband Paul who owns Anderson Distributing Co. in Chicago, a restaurant equipment business. "Paul just developed a portion-control scale," she reported proudly.

THEY MARRIED the year she picked up her bachelor's in social service. She has since earned a master's at University of Chicago.

After college Mrs. Anderson did student casework for Lake County Department of Public Welfare in Gary

and casework for the aged with United Charities Family Services in Chicago. She also worked as a psychiatric social worker at Sinai Hospital of Detroit and at Illinois State Psychiatric Institute in Chicago.

Barbara has been at Clearbrook Vocational Workshop three years. She sees families, individuals and client groups, helping handicapped clients to function as maturely and responsibly as they can, she explained. "Some clients have sufficient disabilities so they continue at the sheltered workshop. Others can be trained for competitive employment."

Mrs. Anderson assesses clients' capabilities and progress, talks to and counsels families about Clearbrook's program. "The workshop offers structure of work, and the vehicle of societal expectations. The object of the workshop is to help people function as best they can...whatever that is. My greatest satisfaction is seeing these people grow," she said.

MRS. ANDERSON also has a small, private practice. She's a member of National Association of Social Workers and Northwest Suburban Council for Community Services.

In off-career hours Barbara likes to bowl, play blackjack in Las Vegas, do crewel embroidery, paint landscapes, sketch faces. She loves the theater, and will go dancing "anytime Paul will take me," she said, smiling impishly.

The Andersons have lived in Elk Grove Village four years, sharing their home with Joshua and Jericho, their two much loved dogs.

Women and children first

by Julie Martocchio



Life insurance as investment

Dear Mrs. Martocchio,

I read your article that answered some insurance questions the other day and really enjoyed it. I gave it to my husband to read and he pointed out to me where you called life insurance a financial investment. He said no one in the financial community would ever consider life insurance an investment. Could you possibly expand on this? — Sincerely, C.C.

Dear C.C.,

Your husband was thinking of "financial investment" in the traditional sense (stocks, bonds, etc) and I was not. Certainly life insurance isn't the only kind of financial investment and in some instances, it may not even be the more beneficial one, but the old idea that it is simply a plan to assure a widow that she will receive money when her husband dies is no longer adequate.

I am not an authority on the subject, however, so let me repeat a few comments by someone who is.

Professor McGill, chairman of the department of insurance at the Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania, has had over 30 years experience in that field. He points out that life insurance sales have now reached a new high, adding that it is a "way for a man to protect his family against inflation when he increases the amount of life insurance protection."

BEYOND THAT HE says, "A life insurance contract is the only way an individual can create an immediate estate for his dependents if he dies prematurely, before he has built up the investment he wants to make." He also notes that because of the stock market's "shake out" of the past few years, people who might otherwise have put their money into stocks are turning to investing in life insurance.

I am not suggesting that anyone buy or not buy life insurance, only that in some instances it may be a good idea to consider as a form of "financial investment." The lady whose questions I answered in that column appears to be in a situation fitting that category. She is young, unemployed, has two small children and must manage her household on her husband's modest income.

Her reasoning meshes with Professor McGill's when she indicates that her husband needs life insurance as a financial investment when obviously he cannot afford to take a chance on the stock market at this time.

I had in mind whole life insurance (known also as ordinary or straight) because it is a combination of insurance as it accumulates a cash value that can be used during the life of the insured as well as paying to the beneficiary upon death, or a term insurance that may later be converted to whole insurance when finances permit.

IT IS INTERESTING to note that Professor McGill also suggests, in situations such as above, that not only should a husband have insurance on his life but on his wife's too. Her death, he explains, would greatly increase the cost of family care while the children are too small to fend for themselves, the needs being a substitute mother, nursemaid, housekeeper, cook and babysitter. Anyone who knows a young widower and father is aware of the heavy drain on finances as well as on his emotions, the professor says.

Of course, today, with money value being what it is, there is a trend toward "collecting" as a means of increasing one's present or future estate.

Some friends of ours, enthusiastic collectors, recently sold a valuable coin collection and built a beautiful 10-room house with the proceeds. Others have paintings, ingots, priceless antique dishes and jewelry, even nostalgic memorabilia, which they hope to turn into cash some day. One only has to recall the skyrocketing value of something as small as a Shirley Temple doll or an original Mickey Mouse watch to be aware of other forms of "financial investments."

I thank you for the nice compliment and wish to return one. Your husband deserves a round of applause for his willingness to discuss "financial investments" with you, and particularly for having read what you handed to him. How many husbands do you know who would agree to do that?

(Readers are invited to submit questions regarding legal problems of women and children. Names and facts that would identify the writer are withheld on request. Attorney Martocchio's column is to inform and not advise. Write to her in care of Suburban Living, Paddock Publications, Box 280, Arlington Heights, Ill. 60006.)

Cutting the costs of vacation lodging

(First of two parts)

If you are a camper, you've already discovered one of the most popular ways to cut your vacation lodging costs.

But what about the rest of us? Is there any way to take a family vacation without spending the small fortune that the big motels seem to cost?

The answer is yes. In fact, there are at least five good alternatives you might consider: budget motels, state park cabins, tourist homes, youth hostels and college dorms.

The idea of staying on a college campus is one that is becoming more and more popular. Some colleges offer simply a place to sleep; others offer whole programs for vacationing families.

FERRUM COLLEGE, for instance, has one of the best-known in the latter category: the Family Vacation Program, which has been written about in this column before. Ferrum is located in the foothills of the Blue Ridge mountains, near Roanoke, Va.

Unfortunately, Roanoke is not within commuting distance of Williamsburg, Yorktown and other historical "biggies" slated to attract a record number of visitors to Virginia this Bicentennial year.

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Speaking of...

by Kay Marsh

your vacation sightseeing, then spend some time at Ferrum to relax. The price is right: \$13.50 single or \$23 double per day, including meals. Children's rates are lower, and there's a 10 per cent discount for a weeklong stay.

Ferrum was one of the first colleges to offer low-cost vacations, and it's still one of the best-known. Elsewhere, an estimated 200 colleges in the U.S. and Canada open their campuses to vacationers.

IF YOU'D like to know more about this possibility for your vacation, check your library for "Mort's Guide to Low-Cost Vacations & Lodging on College Campuses." Or order the 1975 edition from your local bookstore, or direct from the publisher: CMG Publications.

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Food, fun on Feb. 21

PAPIER-MACHE HORSE, a traditional toy in Sweden, will be among the authentic decorations transforming Fellowship Hall of First United Methodist Church in Palatine into a Scandinavian site for the church's 21st annual smorgasbord Saturday, Feb. 21. Doug Noonan is given a boost onto the horse, one of many props gathered over the years by the churchwomen, by Mrs. Charles Simons and Mrs. David Kuh, chairman. Serving will be from 5 to 7:30 p.m. and tickets, \$4 for adults, \$2 for children, are available by calling the church office, 359-1345.



The doctor says

by Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D.

Reader asks what's carotid stenosis?

I would appreciate knowing the cause of carotid stenosis. What causes this buildup and what is it made of?

The obstruction is caused by the buildup of fatty-cholesterol deposits in the wall of the carotid artery.

There are two carotid arteries, a right and a left carotid. These are located on each side of your trachea. Each one divides into two main branches, an external and internal carotid. The external carotid supplies the outside region of the head and the internal carotid artery enters the skull and is a major part of the circulation to the brain.

The fatty-cholesterol deposits that obstruct the carotid are exactly the same thing that obstructs the coronary arteries to the heart to cause heart attacks or obstruct arteries inside the brain causing strokes. The disease is a disease of arteries, not a disease of the heart or the brain and it can affect any artery in the body.

The cause of these deposits is not absolutely clear, but we know the likelihood of having them is increased with high blood cholesterol levels and high blood pressure.

Obstruction of the carotid arteries particularly with buildup of fatty-cholesterol deposits in other arteries in the brain can lead to a stroke or undesirable symptoms associated with inadequate blood flow to the brain.

For more information on strokes and circulation to the brain send 50 cents for The Health Letter, Number 2-5, Strokes: Cerebral Vascular Accident-Cerebral Thrombosis. Enclose a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope for mailing. Address your letter to me in care of Paddock Publications, P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York, N.Y. 10019.

One time you told what to do for leg or muscle spasms. I have had them for several years and the only thing the doctors give me is quinine and I have to take so much that it upsets my stomach. Would you tell me your remedy again?

Leg cramps are caused by many things and people subject to them should have a medical examination. You can't cure any disorders, such as poor circulation, with the method I suggested, but the method can give some people relief.

The trick is to keep the feet and legs warm. Wear warm, long socks to bed. The feet and legs will cool first if you are cold. The circulation is literally diminished to the limbs to conserve heat in the vital center of the body. Also the arteries carrying blood to the legs will transfer heat to cold blood in the veins returning to the center of the body.

This heat transfer mechanism conserves heat for the vital center of the body but allows the temperature in the limbs to drop. You counteract this by keeping the whole body warm and by keeping the legs warm.

Some people also benefit from increasing the calcium intake. But again, I'd like to emphasize that all people with these problems need a medical examination to be certain they do not have a medical problem that needs correction.

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The home line

by Dorothy Ritz

Soy sauce flavors chicken marinade

The recipe for a marinade for chicken quarters called for sake, stick ginger, green onions, soy sauce and monosodium glutamate. Few of us keep sake or stick ginger on hand. So white wine, substituted for sake, powdered ginger for the stick and dried shallots for the green onions.

To one-quarter cup of soy sauce, I added a teaspoon of dried shallots, two tablespoons of white wine, a sprinkling of ginger and a sprinkling of monosodium glutamate, tasting until it had a flavor that appealed. Turned the quarters in this several times, letting it marinate for 30 minutes, then broiled with no extra fat, but just a little of the marinade each time the chicken had to be turned. If you like soy sauce, you'll probably find it delicious.

Dear Dorothy: I noticed that you were specific about using only white vinegar in a cleaning experiment. Can't understand why as there is no difference in the chemical content of cider or white vinegar — 5 per cent acid and 95 per cent water. They are both the same except for color and a slight nuance in flavor.—George Brown

You said it — color. Why add color to take out a stain? Therefore, white vinegar.

Dear Dorothy: I have a better way for removing mildew from bathroom grouting. Mix liquid bleach with baking soda to form a paste, apply, let stand a short while, then rinse. This mixture will remain in place and not run down the wall.—Mrs. Robert Del Corso

Dear Dorothy: When my white plastic shower curtains turned yellow, experimenting was in order. I used the regular blue commercial dye and hot water. They turned out perfectly.—Marie Merila

(Mrs. Ritz welcomes questions and hints. If a personal reply is required, please enclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope. Write to her in care of Suburban Living, Paddock Publications, Box 200, Arlington Heights, Ill. 60005.)

Carson's to offer income seminar for young women

A seminar to help young working women effectively handle their incomes will be held Tuesday and Wednesday, Feb. 17 and 18, at Carson's State Street store. The money workshops, led by Barbara Gilder Quint, money columnist for Glamour Magazine, begins at 5:30 p.m. and includes dinner.

The workshops will provide insights into all phases of handling money, planning expenditures, maintaining budgets, assessing investments, analyzing one's own personal approach to matters of earnings, acquisitions, spending and investing.

Lifestyle workshops geared to showing young women how to get more for every dollar spent in all avenues of

prime importance to them — fashion, beauty, home environments, travel and vacation planning — will be conducted at the State Street store by Glamour editors Feb. 18 and 20.

Tickets for the Money Workshops are \$8 and can be purchased by calling 744-2933.

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Curt William Warnke, Jan. 26 to Mr. and Mrs. Steven C. Warnke, Des Plaines. Brother of Carl. Grandparents: Mrs. Katherine Burger, Royal Oak, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. William Warnke, Des Plaines.

Steel Lee Hilgers, Jan. 26 to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hilgers, Des Plaines. Grandparents: Mr. and Mrs. Leon Hilgers, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Baker, Chicago.

Christopher John Malerich, Jan. 26 to Mr. and Mrs. Walter A. Malerich, Des Plaines. Brother of Scott. Grandparents: Mr. and Mrs. Franz Malerich, Mr. and Mrs. John Stengel, Chicago.

Peter Guest Jeffrey Jr., Jan. 26 to Mr. and Mrs. Peter G. Jeffrey, Buffalo Grove. Grandparents: Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Geils, Des Plaines; Mr. and Mrs. Merle Jeffrey, Brattleboro, Vt.; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Guldow, Moyock, N.C.

Laura Michelle Hugh, Jan. 26 to Mr. and Mrs. Michael Hugh, Arlington Heights. Sister of Rachel, Kristen. Grandparents: Mrs. Ellen Janda, Arlington Heights; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hugh, Canova, S.D.; Richard P. Janda, Sunnydale, Calif.

Christopher Robert Thomas, Jan. 29 to Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Thomas, Palatine. Brother of Scott. Grandparents: Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Fabian and Mr. and Mrs. Victor Thomas, all of Palatine.

HOLY FAMILY

Caroline Elizabeth Scherer, Jan. 24 to Mr. and Mrs. Roger M. Scherer, Des Plaines. Sister of Theresa. Grandparents: Mrs. Violet Schurman and Mr. and Mrs. Max Scherer, all of Chicago.

Sarah Kelley Jackson, Jan. 25 to Mr. and Mrs. Michael Jackson, Rolling Meadows. Sister of Michael Jr., Christina. Grandparents: Mr. and Mrs. John Meehan, Scottsdale, Ariz.; Alfred Jackson, Washington, D.C.

OTHER HOSPITALS

Anne Marie Neugebauer, Jan. 19 in Highland Park Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Neugebauer, Mount Prospect. Sister of James, Karen, Donna, Susan, Mark, Brian. Grandparents: Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Kutz, Norridge; Phillip Neugebauer, Mount Prospect.

Matthew Dirk Lapperre, Jan. 19 in Highland Park Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Dirk Edward Lapperre, Rolling Meadows. Brother of Mary Elizabeth, Bonnie. Grandparents: Mr. and Mrs. George Sranek Jr., Highland Park; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lapperre, Kenilworth.

Sallyanne Hendren, Jan. 21 in Central DuPage Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. James Hendren, Mount Prospect. Sister of James VI, Jimmy, Nicholas. Grandparents: Mr. and Mrs. James Hendren IV, Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. Nick Burke, Wheaton.

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Speaking of...

Cutting the costs of vacation lodging

(Continued from Page 1)

cations, P. O. Box 630, Princeton, N.J. 08540. The cost is \$3.75.

Another good alternative for vacationers on a budget is to stay at the fast-growing budget motels. There are today at least 33 low-cost motel chains, which operate more than 1,200 motels in nearly every state.

The budget motels usually have locations not quite as choice as the conventional motels. They also lack a few of the amenities — big swimming pools, color television, fancy restaurants.

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WHAT THEY don't seem to lack, especially in vacation season, is customers. Which is why this isn't a bit too early to start making your reservations.

Some chains have a national toll-free telephone number. Or you can make a reservation through another

motel in the chain located nearby. Or, simplest of all, you can write or call the motel direct.

First, though, you'll need some names and addresses. Most chains will be glad to send you a current directory on request. (You may get one faster if you send a stamped, self-addressed envelope.)

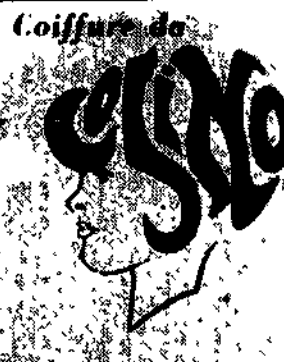
Two of the biggest chains are Day Inns of America, Inc., 2751 Buford Hwy., N.E., Atlanta, Ga. 30324; and Motel 6, 1888 Century Park East, Los Angeles, Cal. 90067.

THREE OTHER big ones are Econo-Travel, P.O. Box 12188, Norfolk, Va. 23502; Scottish Inns of America, 104 Bridgewater Rd., Knoxville, Tenn. 37919; and the Downtown/Rowntown Motor Inns, 2033 Richard Jones Rd., Nashville, Tenn. 37215.

Most of the chains whose headquarters addresses are given above are

national or near-national in distribution and have a toll-free reservation system.

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THIS CHECK completed a total of \$45,000 contributed in 1975 by the

women's auxiliary. Funds will be used for the center's outpatient clinic.

Pat Kincaid, Elk Grove, was installed as president at the dinner, along with Carol Herro, Elk Grove, first vice president; Virginia DuBeau, Wood Dale, second vice president; Marian LeBlanc, Elk Grove, recording secretary; Helen Lundeen, Elk Grove, corresponding secretary; and Arlette Maass, Hasco, treasurer.

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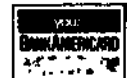
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Next on the agenda

Elk Grove Newcomers

Charlotte Erickson, author of "Gourmet Meals in Minutes" or "How to Entertain with Foods from the Freezer," will be guest at Thursday's meeting of Elk Grove Newcomers Club. The 7:30 p.m. meeting, open to all area newcomers, will be held in Elk Grove Library. Information 583-2853.

Arlington AAUW

Rita Dee will speak on ethnic minorities in the northwest suburbs at Thursday's 8 p.m. meeting of the Arlington Heights Branch of the American Association of University Women. Miss Dee is assistant director of the Ethnic Heritage Department for the Illinois Office of Education, and her talk will add to the branch's current study of "World Pluralism: the Human Encounter."

Meetings are held at the Methodist Church of the Incarnation, 330 W. Golf Road, Arlington Heights. Guests are welcome.

Buffalo Grove Juniors

Buffalo Grove Junior Woman's Club will meet at 8 p.m. Thursday in Raupp Memorial Building for a program featuring Countryside Boys Club and a home economist speaking on home ideas and crafts. Guests are invited. Information 537-0633.

O'Hare Clipped Wings

O'Hare Chapter, United Airlines Clipped Wings, will finalize plans for a fund raising pizza and baked goods sale at their 7:30 p.m. meeting Thursday in the Barrington home of Maureen Drum.

Homemade baked goods will be sold and orders for pizzas will be taken Friday at United Airlines executive and reservation offices, Elk Grove Township. Pizzas will be assembled and delivered on Friday, Feb. 20. Information 882-2226.

Young Single Parents

Leonard O'Brien, who teaches ethics and modern morality at Elgin College, will speak at Thursday's 9 p.m. meeting of Young Single Parents. The meeting will be held at Lancer's Steak House, Schaumburg, with dancing and a social hour following. Information 629-5777.

Mount Prospect BPW

Mount Prospect Business and Professional Woman's Club will introduce its candidate for Young Career Woman, Cheryl Eileen Haugh, at its dinner meeting Thursday in the Arlington Park Hilton.

A graduate of Prospect High and the University of Illinois Medical Center, Cheryl will be the club's entry in the district competition. Cheryl is employed as coordinator of medical illustration at Rush-Presbyterian-St. Luke Hospital.

A slide presentation honoring the 20th anniversary of BPW's National Foundation also will be shown. Reservations for the 7 p.m. dinner may be made with Elizabeth Oertel, 258-1161, or Francis Bevins, 392-4742.

Beta Sigma Phi

Ki Eta Rho Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi will meet in the Schaumburg home of Bev Skeels Thursday. Bev will present the program, "My Half of the Apple."

LAMBDA DELTA chapter of Beta Sigma Phi will meet at 8 tonight at the Arlington Heights home of Mrs. James Rose. Mrs. Harold Fischer of Schaumburg will present the program, "A Woman Alone," and final plans will be discussed for the chapter's cocktail party prior to the Northwest Suburban Area Council's Valentine Dance Saturday.

DAR donates library books

In observance of February as American History Month, Twenty-first Star Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution is donating four copies of "Palatines along the Mohawk," a genealogy source book, to Park Ridge, Des Plaines and Winnetka public libraries and Chicago's Newberry Library.

The books are a documented history of colonial-era immigrants to the Mohawk Valley in New York State from the Palatine region of Germany and were purchased by Mrs. John W. Pullen, a descendant of the Mohawk River Valley Palatines.

Scholarship to aid nursing student

Palatine Nurses Club is now accepting applications for its Betty Keckelsen memorial scholarship, given annually to a deserving high school senior from Palatine or Palatine Township interested in the field of nursing. This year marks the club's 15th award.

Students who plan to enter an accredited program of nursing education may contact their local high school counselors or call Mrs. Kendall Fuller, 358-1942, for further details. The deadline for applying is April 1.

Palatino Gardeners

Slides of flower shows sponsored by the club will be shown at Thursday's meeting of Palatine Park Garden Club. The 8 p.m. meeting will be held in the Palatine Library.

The club is planning an entry in the Chicago Garden and Flower Show at McCormick Place to be held in March.

Mothers of Twins

Double Dyde Mothers of Twins will meet at 8 p.m. Thursday in Palatine Township Hall to hear Diane Barrar talk on hypnosis. Membership is open to all mothers of multiple births. Information 394-0897.

La Leche Leagues

Mount Prospect La Leche League West will meet at 8 p.m. Thursday in the home of Mrs. Bev Schultz. Information and counseling, 394-1224.

PALATINE-Rolling Meadows area La Leche will meet at 8 p.m. Thursday in the Palatine home of Mrs. Jane Bernard. Mrs. Barbara Ford, who will lead the discussion, can be reached for information and counseling at 397-0261.

All women interested in breastfeeding are invited to these meetings, and babies are welcome.

Palatine AARP

Two travel films and installation of officers are on the agenda for Thursday's meeting of Palatine Chapter of the American Association of Retired Persons. The 1 p.m. meeting will be held in the Palatine Public Library.

Harry Ralph of Barrington will be installed as president; Anthony Stark, Palatine, vice president; Mrs. Sara B. Kohring, Palatine, secretary; and Lee J. Boston, Palatine, treasurer. Raymond A. Chuppek is outgoing president. Information 358-0019.

Christian Women

Elgin Area Christian Women Woman's Club, which serves Schaumburg and Hoffman Estates, will hold a luncheon meeting Thursday at the Ramada Inn, Elgin. Speakers will be Art Wolf on the Elgin Fire Department and Fran Conn, homemaker from Rockford.

Luncheon and nursery reservations, 288-5142.

Women of the Moose

Des Plaines Chapter 835 Women of the Moose, will have Gwen Cotner, grand regent, as guest at its meeting Thursday. The chapter will honor her by naming a large class of candidates in her honor. Information 677-9086.

Fashion shows brighten the drab winter season

Lucky for women, the spring fashion show, a welcome perk-upper for winter doldrums, just happens to be one of the mainstays of money-raisers for area organizations and there'll be no shortage of shows this season.

Among February shows is "Then and Now," a luncheon show to be staged Wednesday, Feb. 18, by St. James Catholic Woman's Club of Arlington Heights. The show, with a wide selection of styles and sizes from Lilyan's, will be held at Allgauer's Fireside in Northbrook with clubmembers as models. Tickets are \$7 from Jackie Stromm, 392-8351.

MAINE WEST Mother's Club has planned a dinner show for Thursday, Feb. 26, with women's fashions from Spiegel's Department Store and menswear from Svoboda's. It will be held at the Casa Royale in Des Plaines with Missy Leer and Heather McCune modeling teenage fashions, and Arlette Carstens, Dolores Downing, Joyce Henricks, Mary Mott, Louise Novello, Charlene Parry, Julie Tortorelli and Judy Triphan modeling women's wear. Syd Simons will do the makeup.

Tickets are \$7.50 from Fran Fleming, 824-8829.

Arlington Heights Lady Elks have planned a Bicentennial luncheon show for Saturday, Feb. 28, at Top of the Towers of the Arlington Park Hilton. Fashion will be from Bob and Betty, and tickets, \$10, are available by calling 358-3507.

ALSO ON THE 28th, the Philothochos Society of St. John the Baptist

LWV to study voter registry

For a study of voter registration by mail, which is being conducted by Leagues of Women Voters throughout the United States, the Cook County Leagues are meeting this morning at 9 in the Illinois State League office, 57 E. Madison St., Chicago.

Elinor Rohrbach, city clerk of Des Plaines and a member of the Des Plaines League, will speak against mail registration. Arguments "for" will be presented by Grace Mary Stern, clerk of Lake County.

This afternoon Frank Lundberg Jr., chairman of the State Board of Elections, will discuss the board's present status.

Both sessions are open to the public.

Greek Orthodox Church of Des Plaines will sponsor a luncheon show, "Saturday in the Park," at the Marriott Lincolnshire. Dorothy Fuller is coordinating the show of designer fashions for the choreographed production. Tickets are \$13.50 and Mrs. George Vourvoulis, 825-4180 is taking reservations.

March events include the annual luncheon show by Mount Prospect

Happenings

Business and Professional Women on the first Saturday with Bonwit's doing the show, Des Plaines Juniors, Elk Grove Village Nurses, Wayside Women of Arlington Heights and Palatine Infant Welfare have scheduled shows for later in the month.

Jr's set antique show

The sixth annual antique show hosted by the Palatine Junior Woman's Club is scheduled Feb. 27-28 in the Grand Ballroom of Howard Johnson's Motor Lodge in Palatine. Twenty-six dealers will display a variety of items in a wide price range.

The Juniors will also be selling crafts and baked goods.

Friday show hours will be 11 a.m. to 9 p.m. Saturday, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Tickets are \$1.50 in advance by calling 358-8172 or 358-2780; \$1.75 at the door. Proceeds go to the Juniors' philanthropies.

Talk on taking drugs

St. Mary's Women's Club is sponsoring a paramedic and drug information night Wednesday, Feb. 18, at 8 in the school hall on Buffalo Grove Road. The public is invited.

Sgt. Ken Blanchette of the Buffalo Grove Police Department will speak on "The Physical and Legal Aspects of Taking Drugs." The Buffalo Grove Fire Department will send a representative to speak on its paramedic program.

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Be wary of buying clubs, state warns

by LEA TONKIN

Suburban consumers should be cautious before they purchase a membership in a buying club that promises hefty savings, said Gov. Walker's Consumer Advocate Celia Maloney Tuesday.

Speaking in Des Plaines, Ms. Maloney warned of "misleading promises and exaggerated claims of savings ranging from 10 to 60 per cent or even as low as wholesale prices — when approached to join a consumer buying club."

The United Consumers Club, 1637 Oakton Pl., Des Plaines, is among four companies she cited for exorbitant membership fees and overstated claims.

An increase in consumer complaints about buying club operations sparked a three-month investigation by the consumer advocate staff.

MEMBERSHIP FEES for the four organizations range from \$395 to \$500. The firms include, in addition to

United Consumers Club: the Consumer's Guild of America, 5555 St. Charles Rd., Berkeley; Consumer Cooperative Club, 4142 W. Lawrence Ave., Chicago; and the Consumer Group Purchase Plan, 3834 W. Irving Park Rd., Chicago.

"By the clubs' own estimates, at least 45,000 people have become members of these clubs in Illinois in the last eight years," Ms. Maloney's report said. "This means that at least \$17 million has been spent by Illinois consumers just to join these clubs."

Suburban residents are prime targets for the buying club membership campaigns, Ms. Maloney said. Staff members who participated in training classes offered by three of the buying clubs learned names of prospective members are gained through referrals and sources such as the Welcome Wagon organization.

Gullible consumers are taken in by claims such as the United Consumers Club's "once in a lifetime opportuni-

ty" outlined in a letter, Ms. Maloney said. They're told "how to save 45 per cent to 75 per cent on everything you could possibly consider purchasing." The cost for a 10-year membership in the club is \$450.

A check of buying club prices and the prices at 20 Chicago area retail stores, discount and catalog outlets shows the benefits to buying club members are "minimal, at best," Ms. Maloney said.

"We found no savings of more than 10 per cent on any single item, and the average range of savings — if indeed there were any savings — was between 2 and 5 per cent. We also found that for a number of items, the buying club prices were as much as 20 per cent higher than the price at the traditional retail outlet," she said.

THE CLUBS MAKE savings claims by comparing their prices for refrigerators, slide projectors and other items with manufacturers' suggested retail prices rather than prices of-

fered by area merchants, Ms. Maloney said. She said the buying clubs also fail to mention handling and shipping charges, which ranged as high as 15 per cent of a product's cost.

Prices offered by buying clubs, compared to traditional retailer prices are: for a 7 to 10-item pur-

chase, 2.9 per cent lower, Consumer Cooperative Club, 1.6 per cent higher, Consumer Guild of America, 2.8 per cent higher, Consumer Group Purchase Plan; and 5.4 per cent higher for United Consumer Club. The figures do not include membership fees.

"We are turning over to the Federal

Trade Commission our results for further investigation, at their request," Ms. Maloney said. She proposes the clubs allow prospective members to check prices, provide full information on shipping charges and offer legitimate claims based on actual retail prices.

Stock prices soar; Dow up 11.57

NEW YORK (UPI) — Aided by U.S. Steel's proposed stock split, firmer short-term interest rates and strong earnings reports, prices Tuesday scored their best gain in more than a week in active trading on the New York Stock Exchange.

The closely-watched Dow Jones industrial average, a 2.28-point winner Monday, climbed 11.57 points to 968.75, the best gain since it soared 17.40 points Jan. 20.

U.S. Steel, a major component of the average, rose 3 1/4 to 82 1/4 in active trading after the company's directors proposed a 3-for-2 stock split. The afternoon news perked up the market when it appeared faltering, analysts said.

THE MARKET'S thrust was broad-based. Standard & Poor's 500-stock index rose 0.65 to 100.47, the NYSE common stock index 0.46 to 53.56 and the

average price of an NYSE common share by 29 cents.

Advances routed declines, 1,042 to 480, among the 1,913 issues crossing the tape.

Volume swelled to 27,600,000 shares from the 25,340,000 traded Monday.

In addition to the U.S. Steel news, investors were encouraged short-term money rates remained steady after recent increases. There has been some fear the Federal Reserve Board, contrary to official statements, might have changed its accommodative monetary policy. Lower interest rates have been the backbone of the new year rally.

LOCKHEED, which lost 7/8 Monday, fell another 1/4 to 7 1/4. The company, in answer to published reports, said it would be able to meet payments on government-backed loans

promptly. The company has admitted making payments to certain foreign officials.

Penn Central led the Big Board actives for the second consecutive session, losing 5/8 to 25 5/8 on 346,700 shares. The stock has been active for the past three sessions after President Ford signed the emergency aid bill funding the Conrail system designed to help the bankrupt Penn Central and other troubled northeast railroads.

Singer Co. was the third most active issue, up 1 1/2 to 16 7/8 on 260,200 shares.

Prices closed higher in active trading on the American Stock Exchange. The average price of an Amex Share increased 8 cents. Volume totaled 3,450,000 shares, compared with 2,390,000 traded Monday.



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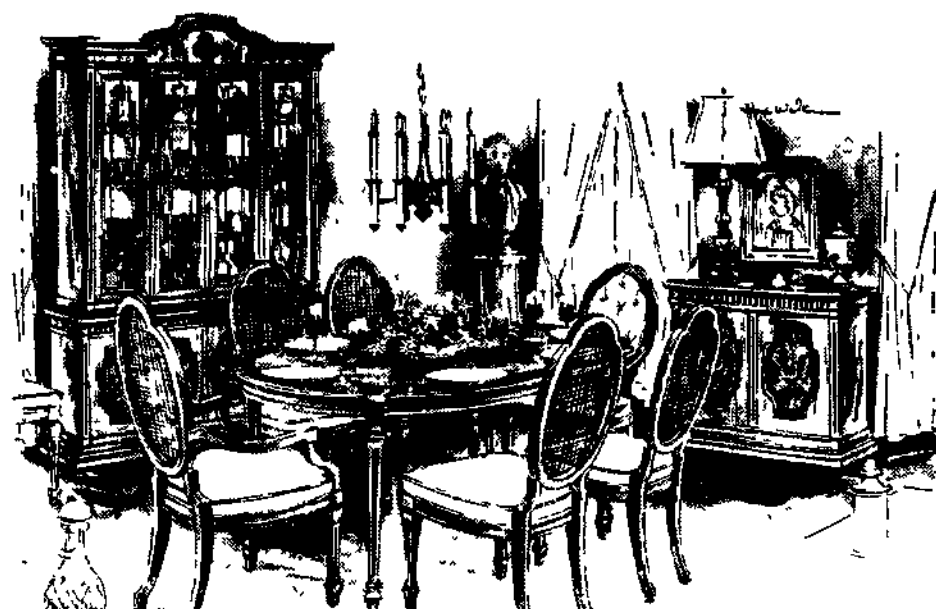
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Lower inflation rate gives hope to consumers

A lower inflation rate and the extension of tax cuts into 1976 account for increased consumer confidence in the North and Northwest suburbs, said a Continental Bank report released this week.

The Chicago bank's Family Financial Survey sampled economic opinions of 750 families in Cook, Lake, DuPage, Kane, McHenry and Will counties. Thirty per cent of the northern suburban residents said their financial situation is better than a year ago, the highest percentage among city and suburban areas.

Local consumer confidence was one factor that pushed the bank's Consumer Sentiment Index to 107, the highest level since January 1973. The January 1972 survey results are the base of 100. The index reflects families' opinions about finances, income and present and future business conditions.

One fourth of the north suburban residents said business conditions are better than a year ago, slightly doubling the previous quarter's results. Fifty per cent of area participants said the outlook for business next year will improve.

ASKED ABOUT family income. 38 per cent of the north suburban participants said income is higher than a year ago. Forty-nine per cent said income is the same, 13 per cent said it is lower and 3 per cent did not respond.

The poll, taken in January, shows

the index for family finances rose and moved closer to the index for family income. "This trend may suggest that consumers are finally noticing greater buying power as a result of rising incomes and a slower inflation rate," the bank said. "Moreover, the extension of income tax cuts through the first six months of 1976 had been announced, giving consumers yet another indication of a brighter financial picture."

Survey participants were asked a series of questions about the federal government policy of operating with a large deficit. Two thirds of the participants said it is a "bad policy" to operate with a large spending deficit. Seven of ten consumers said deficit spending contributes to a high rate of inflation, and 60 per cent said it results from government waste.

Half of the consumers who said deficit spending is a bad policy said they favor decreased taxes and government spending. Stable taxes and a reduction in government spending were favored by 44 per cent of the participants and 69 per cent disagreed with the statement "government deficit spending is the result of taxes being too low."

Approximately half the participants said the federal government is doing a poor job of spending tax dollars. Persons in the \$5,000 and under income bracket were less critical of government spending.

IRS advises taxpayers to check forms' accuracy

Taxpayers should check their returns for mistakes, advises the Internal Revenue Service (IRS).

Accuracy is important in the speedy processing of returns. Yet every year thousands of people make simple mistakes or leave out items. The errors cause a delay in processing a return at an IRS service center.

Among the basic errors taxpayers should avoid are:

- Failing to sign the tax return. Both taxpayers must sign a joint return.
- Copying figures from the wrong tax tables or schedules, or from the wrong line on a schedule.
- Claiming medical deductions that don't exceed 3 per cent of adjusted gross income.
- Adding or subtracting incorrectly.
- Claiming casualty losses without

subtracting \$100 from the amount of the loss.

- Deducting more than one half the cost, or more than \$150 of health insurance premiums.
- Failing to use the peel-off label and inserting an incorrect Social Security number, or forgetting to include the number.
- Forgetting to submit a W-2 form from each employer as well as tables and other forms in the return.

Additional points for taxpayers to consider:

- There is a \$30 additional deduction for each exemption.
- Persons who earned less than \$8,000 in 1975 may be eligible for an Earned Income Credit. Instructions are included in the tax package.

The IRS continues to urge taxpayers to file returns as early as possible so that refunds can be mailed faster.

Jobless rate falls, inflation dips in economic recovery

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The fall in unemployment is the big news as the economy continues a slow, steady recovery in still-youthful 1976.

President Ford has hailed the news of nearly one-half million persons back on the job as "marvelous."

Inflation, still high, dipped. "Real" earnings nosed out the cost of living rise, then pushed ahead in front of the tax cut. The balance of trade finished 1975 at a record high — in favor of the United States.

PRICES, WHICH FELL the previous month, rose again. The Gross National Product, down for the second year in a row, headed upward.

Government and some private, economists regarded events as indicating steady progression out of the recession, with inflation still a problem.

• **Unemployment:** Unemployment fell from 8.3 per cent in December to 7.8 per cent in January, according to the Labor Department, as 450,000 non-farm workers returned to work, a dramatic jump. At year's end, unemployment was more than 1 per cent higher than at the close of 1974. Unemployed totaled 7.3 million, and 78.1 million working.

There were gains in all categories except teen-agers, whose jobless rate rose .3 per cent to 19.9.

• **Inflation:** Measured at 6.5 per cent during the last three months of 1975, the second-lowest quarterly rate in three years. The Consumer Price Index, the measure of inflation, stood at 166.3 in December, meaning what cost \$100 in 1967 cost \$166.30 in December.

• **Real earnings:** Average worker's "real" spendable earnings — weekly pay after inflation and deductions — rose only 0.2 per cent faster than the cost of living in 1975. But a tax cut gave him a 3.8 per cent rise.

• **Wholesale prices:** The cost of living rose 0.5 per cent in December, floating upward on increases for public transportation, autos, medical services and some foods. The Wholesale Price Index was 178.7 from a 1967 base of 100, meaning goods costing \$10 in 1967 cost \$17.87.

• **Trade:** The United States had a record \$11 billion annual trade surplus in 1975. Exports exceeded imports in December for the 11th straight month, the Commerce Department said. The previous yearly high was \$7.1 billion in 1964; the trade deficit for 1974 was \$2.4 billion.

• **Indicators:** The index of leading business indicators finished the fourth quarter of 1975, down by .2 per cent from the third to 102.2. It had risen .4 in December.

• **GNP:** The Gross National Product rose 5.4 per cent in the last quarter of 1975, not enough to offset the year's losses — 2 per cent after 1974's 1.8 per cent drop. The Commerce Department said it was the first time there were back-to-back yearly drops in the GNP — the measure of the nation's total production, which was \$1.19 trillion as 1976 began.

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Whopping demands seen to make up for recession

1976 a 'catch-up year' for labor wages, benefits

by GREGORY GORDON

Labor's big guns are calling 1976 a "catch-up" year demanding whopping increases in pay and fringe benefits to make up for the recession.

Economists say the demands could be a prelude to another round of inflation.

"It's definitely a catch-up year," said Charles Marcante, head of the 720,000-member New Jersey AFL-CIO.

"We're going after the dollars in hand."

"We were relegated to 5.5 per cent increases in the early part of the '70s when everyone was hit with the idea that we have to restrain ourselves because the economy was slowing down."

"ALL THE TIME while we're not making 'unjust demands,'" he said, "inflation is decimating the paychecks."

Major union contracts covering

some 4.5 million industrial workers — including building tradesmen and auto, rubber and electrical workers — expire this year, and huge wage and fringe demands are expected to "catch-up" for losses to inflation since 1973.

The nation's 15 million public employees, particularly police, firemen, teachers and hospital workers, could be as tough or tougher at the bargaining table.

Last month, police and firemen in the District of Columbia won an 18 per cent pay hike over 10 months. Police in Prince Georges County, Md., a D.C. suburb, agreed to an average 14.5 per cent increase over two years.

New Labor Secretary W. J. Usery predicts settlements will average around 10 per cent, but could go higher in the public sector.

"MOST FORECASTERS are calling for inflation between 5 and 7 per cent," said Dr. Joseph J. Seneca, chairman of the economics department at Rutgers College.

"But I think you could see a marked upward change if these contract settlements run higher — if labor unions press very hard for significant wages."

University of Minnesota economist Walter Heller, an adviser to Presidents Kennedy and Johnson, was more optimistic, predicting a "modest wage-push inflation" with settlements averaging 8 per cent, and a few 10 to 12 per cent increases. He noted 75 per cent of the work force doesn't belong to unions or their organizations, and are too weak to force big wage increases.

Dr. Murray Weidenbaum of Washington University, a former assistant

secretary of the treasury, warns "If one segment of society, the unions, are going to protect themselves against that decline in real income, which is behind us, it will be at the expense of the rest of us."

"The whole society can't catch up, so to speak. The only thing that could support such large increases would be a very substantial increase in productivity."

THE TEAMSTERS, whose contract expires March 31, want wage and fringe hikes that could push labor costs in the trucking industry 50 per cent higher over three years.

Teamsters President Frank Fitzsimons

says, "These are legitimate demands — what we're going to have to have to satisfy our people."

Expected to be even tougher are some 117,000 building tradesmen, resentful over President Ford's veto of the common sites bill allowing expanded union picketing and intervention in local contract negotiations by a national committee.

A strike is considered likely by the 200,000-member United Rubberworkers Union, whose pay has slipped 15 per cent behind inflation. President Peter Bommarito said this year's contract, which expires April 20, "has the very real potential of being one of the

most meaningful and sizeable packages in recent years."

Nearly 200,000 electrical workers also have contracts up for renewal, and union leaders plan to press for an inflation catchup.

The only sector where a strike is not regarded as a threat is in the auto industry, where more than 700,000 workers have been protected from inflation with one of the best cost-of-living trigger mechanisms in the economy, worked out when times were better. Now members are fighting for job security and improved unemployment benefits — not considered issues that would prompt a strike.

Obituaries

Beth E. Sager

Beth E. Sager, 2, daughter of Frank D. and Kaye E., nee Weiss, Sager of Des Plaines, died Monday.

Besides her parents, she is survived by a brother, Mark; and grandparents, Alice M. and Edwin E. Weiss of Joliet and Mable and Sherman Kesler of Olney, Ill.

Funeral is Thursday at 1 p.m. in Grace Evangelical Lutheran Church, 1824 E. Euclid Ave., Mount Prospect. Visitation is at time of service only. Burial will be in a family lot.

Arrangements are being handled by Oehler Funeral Home, Lee and Perry streets, Des Plaines.

Family requests contributions to the Beth E. Sager Memorial Fund, in care of Grace Evangelical Lutheran Church.

Herman Boeff

Herman Boeff, 58, of Rolling Meadows, died Monday. A veteran of World War II, he was employed as a machinist for Borg-Warner Co.

He is survived by his widow, Helen, nee Urbanowicz; a sister, Evelyn (William) Pertle of Chicago; a brother-in-law, Elmer (Mary) Urbanowicz; two nieces; three nephews; and a grandniece.

Visitation is from 2 to 5 and 7 to 9:30 p.m. today in Lauterburg and Oehler Funeral Home, 2000 E. Northwest Hwy., Arlington Heights.

Prayers will be said at 9:30 a.m. Thursday in the funeral home. Then to St. Colette Catholic Church, 3900 S. Meadow Dr., Rolling Meadows, where a funeral Mass of the Resurrection will be offered at 10 a.m. Burial will be in St. Adalbert Cemetery, Niles.

Clara O. Carlson

Clara Olivia Carlson, 86, nee Olsson, of Palatine, died Tuesday.

She is survived by a son, George (Marilyn) Carlson of Palatine; and a grandson, Keith Fries.

Visitation is from 5 to 9 p.m. Thursday in Angrim and Sons Funeral Home, 201 N. Northwest Hwy., Palatine, where services will be at 1 p.m. Friday. Burial will be in Rosehill Cemetery, Chicago.

Deaths elsewhere

JOHN SEYBOLD, 75, of Chicago, died Tuesday. He was the founder of the John Seybold and Co. CPAs at 4904 N. Western Ave., Chicago, with 40 years of service. He was a member of the Illinois Society of CPAs and the American Institute of CPAs.

He is survived by his widow, Ida, nee Lembke; a daughter Madeline J. (Thomas) Reyer of Palatine; a son, John R. (Eugenia) Seybold of New Orleans, La.; four grandchildren; and two sisters, Johanna Busse and Barbara (Homer) Young, both of Chicago.

Visitation is from 2 to 10 p.m. today in Kolsak Funeral Home, 4255-59 W. Division St., Chicago, where services will be at 10:30 a.m. Thursday. Burial will be in Irving Park Cemetery, Chicago.

Family requests, please omit flowers.

SAM U. GREENBERG, 68, a former chief executive officer of DeSoto, Inc., 1700 S. Mount Prospect Rd., Des Plaines, died Jan. 21, in Santa Rosa, Calif. A former resident of Winnetka, he had lived in Santa Rosa since 1971.

Mr. Greenberg joined DeSoto in 1946 when it was still part of Sears, Roebuck and Co. He was appointed chief executive officer in 1956 when the company separated from Sears and was established as an independent supplier. He remained chief executive officer until 1968 when he relinquished the position to Bernard A. Malm. However, Mr. Greenberg continued as a director of the company until his retirement in 1971.

He is survived by his widow, Edith; a son, Robert; and a daughter, Jean. Funeral services and interment were in Santa Rosa, Calif.

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Corn is one of the most valuable crops grown in the United States, and it is possible that there are more types of corn grown than any other cultivated plant. Popcorn, sweet corn, flour corn, dent corn and flint corn are the five main kinds of corn harvested in this country, and each has its own characteristic and use.

It is believed that all our modern corn types had a common ancestor called pod corn, but exactly where it was developed is still a mystery. Plant scientists agree, however, that it probably originated in northern South America, Central America or possibly Mexico more than 4,000 years ago.

Corn was strictly an Indian treat until Columbus discovered America. Centuries before his ships arrived from Spain, the Indians of both North and South America were using it as a main part of their diet.

The Indians were accomplished farmers, too. They knew how to fertilize their crops using fish, and they also practiced methods of crop rota-

tion. Among the many types of corn they cultivated was a special variety that would burst into fluffy white blossoms when roasted — popcorn. Where and how the Indians discovered popcorn will probably remain a mystery forever. But the fact is, they did discover it.

You might think that corn is corn, but this is not so. Popcorn is different. If you were to take different kinds of corn, place the kernels in a frying pan and heat them to about 400 degrees F., popcorn would be the only one that would perform its inside-out act. The other kernels would either crack or char. The reason for this is found in the popcorn kernel itself.

A popcorn kernel is somewhat smaller than other corn kernels. It also has a much tougher covering. Inside the kernel is a moist, starchy mass. As the kernel is heated, the moisture changes to a gas which expands and finally causes the tough outer covering to burst with a loud pop. As it pops, the pure white pulp inside the kernel bursts forth and becomes true-to-life popcorn — many times the size it was as a kernel. From a half-cup of popcorn kernels, you can expect to get as much as a quart when it is popped.

Popcorn is grown in much the same way as ordinary corn and even looks

like other corn, except that its ears are somewhat smaller and the kernels are rather pointed. Rows of popcorn may be planted closer than rows of other varieties of corn, and farmers generally harvest their popcorn after the kernels have had a chance to dry out. Most of the popcorn produced in the United States is grown in Iowa, Indiana, Illinois and Ohio.

Andy sends a 7-volume set of C. S. Lewis' "Chronicles of Narnia" to Mack Foster, 13, of Charlotte, N.C., for his question: DO SNAKES HAVE EARS?

Considering the lowly habitat and various handicaps a snake lives with, he is truly an exceptionally well-adjusted creature. Although he has no arms, no legs, no wings, very poor eyesight and no ears, this amazing reptile has thrived for thousands of years in just about every conceivable environment. Perhaps to make up for his shortcomings, he has an extremely keen sense of smell. What's more, he can detect changes in temperatures as minute as five-thousandths of a degree!

This fantastic talent helps him locate prey for a tasty meal. Although snakes typically swallow their prey whole, preferably head first, they take their time, sometimes taking 30 minutes or more to dine. Usually one

good meal will take several days or even weeks to digest, which allows the snake plenty of time for other pursuits, such as taking a long nap in the shade.

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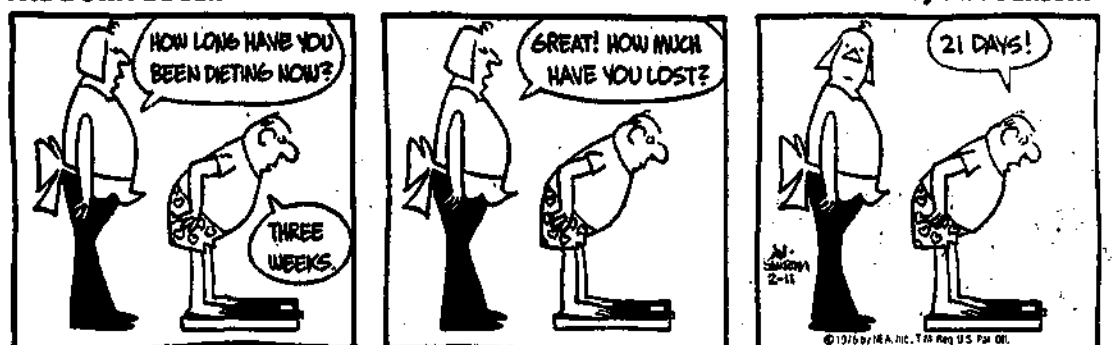
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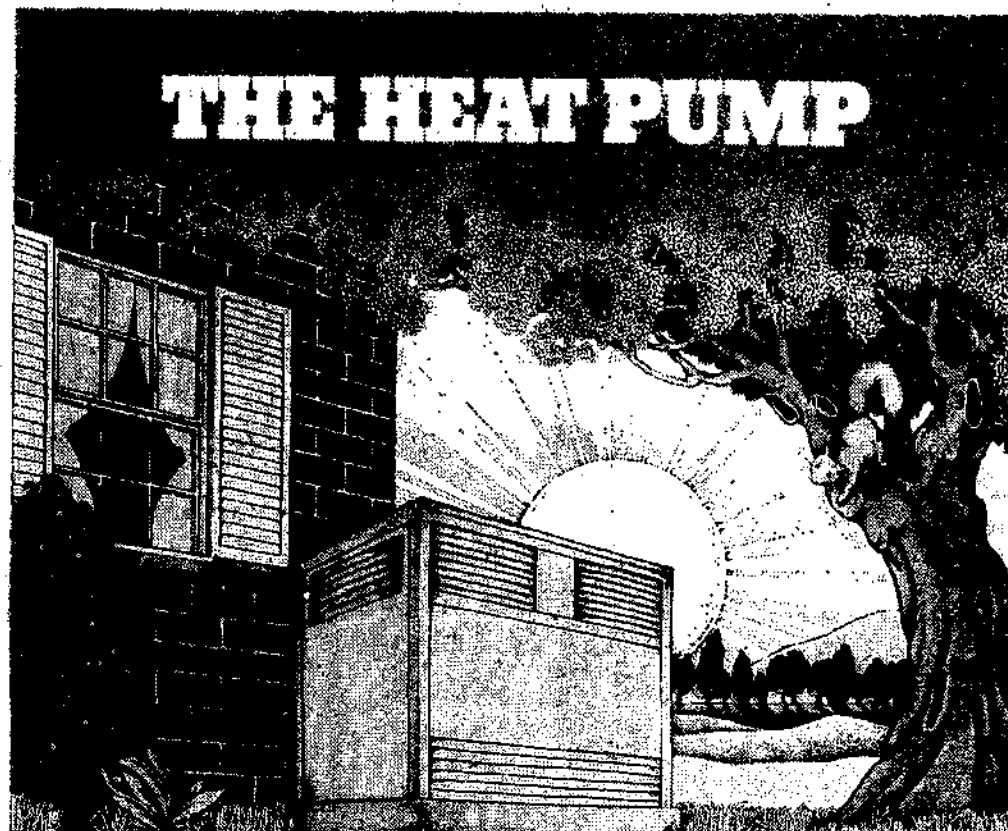
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'Mother Nature' turns to nursing

by JOAN HANAUER
LOS ANGELES (UPI) — Most television commercials these days are as amusing as a head cold, but an exception is the margarine ad in which a displeased Dena Dietrich declares, "It's not nice to fool Mother Nature" and zaps the environment.

Miss Dietrich also appears as Danny Thomas' nurse in the new NBC half-hour comedy, "The Practice," which ranked 21st on the national Nielsen ratings in its premiere Jan. 30.

"Mother Nature has been a mixed blessing," Miss Dietrich said in an interview. "I've never stopped being grateful because it brought me instant recognition, but I lost jobs because of it, too. I'd be up for a part and I'd get turned down because I was too identified with Mother Nature."

Commercials were Miss Dietrich's bread and butter as an actress before her sudden fame as Mother Nature and she has made more than 200 of them.

SHE WENT TO TEST for what turned out to be her magic commercial at the end of a long day.

"I just wanted to get home," she said. "I went in feeling pretty giddy. They presented me with an armful of artificial daisies and I started singing. 'The hills are alive with the sound of music... Everyone thought I was bonkers, traipsing around like some wood sprite.'"

"I got the part and we did a test commercial in a field in Connecticut with one grip, a cameraman and a director. We did a 60 second demo,

real fast, for \$3,000 — which is like a nickel in that business."

"IT WAS TEST marketed in a couple of small cities and when the results came back they just failed."

Miss Dietrich is delighted to be involved with Danny Thomas — discreetly, of course — in a show that is funny with medical overtones, or perhaps it's vice versa.

"We'll hit some serious themes," she said, "but we'll approach them with humor. Shows are either comedy or not comedy today and that's not what life is. Life mixes 'em up."

Misplay sets up contract

East's two-heart opening was one of those weak two bids that are common in American expert circles. It led his opponents to an unmakeable five-club contract, but when East slipped on defense Billy Eisenberg brought the contract home.

West should have led his six of hearts. When you have raised with three small trumps, you should lead the top. But West led the deuce. East decided it was a fourth best and instead of cashing a second heart shifted to a diamond.

Billy hopped up with the ace of diamonds, took the spade finesse, discarded a heart on the ace of spades, studied a while and led a diamond to

Win at bridge

by Oswald and Jim Jacoby

his 10 spot.
West shifted to the 10 of trumps, but Billy was in command. He won with his ace, ruffed a diamond with the eight of trumps, ruffed a spade back to his hand, ruffed his last diamond with the jack of trumps, came to his hand by ruffing another spade and claimed his contract.

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ACROSS

1 Siamese coin
5 Speck
8 Title for Athena
9 Delphi had a famous one
13 Anna land
14 George Jean —
15 Sailor
16 Stroke
17 Whale
18 Lover of beauty (Ital.)
21 Resiliency
22 Armadillo
23 Slav
25 Greek island
26 Bert —
27 Wagered
28 Summer, in Dijon
29 African country
32 — premium (2 wds.)
33 Male sheep
34 Boniface's place
35 Diversified
37 Uniform
38 Dinner on the beach, Florida

DOWN

11 Sew lightly
2 Underworld monitor
3 Kind of talk (3 wds.)
4 Cap
5 Show one's largesse
6 Speechify
7 Make lace
10 Delicatessen goody (2 wds.)
11 Lasso
12 Repeat performance
16 Closely confined
17 Whittened as with frost
19 Bullock
22 Diva's rendition
23 Cohere
24 Cane's material lass
25 David or Dix
27 More vociferous
29 Bullock
30 Sluggish
31 Pester
36 Incense
37 Wagnerian lass

Yesterday's Answer

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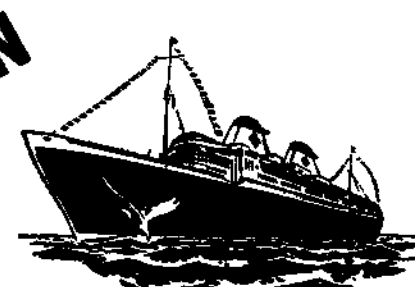
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Top divers battle for league title

by BOB GALLAS
Swimming Editor

The first bend in the road to the Mid-Suburban League swimming crown comes tonight when the area's top divers compete for the league's championship.

Varsity finals will begin at 8:30 p.m. in the Buffalo Grove Aquadome in Buffalo Grove High School, Dundee and Arlington Heights roads.

Swimming and diving competition will be staged on separate nights again this year. Swimming finals will begin at 7 p.m. Friday at the Olympic Pool in Arlington Heights.

Competition figures to come down to Bill Cashmore, last year's league champion from Hersey, and heavy favorite this year and a four-way battle for second place behind him.

Cashmore has been consistently superb throughout the year, averaging 251 points in six league meets this year. His challengers, Alan Cymbal from Buffalo Grove, John Kriescher from Prospect, and Arlington's duo of Glen Seaman and Scott McCratie, are averaging substantially less and figure to battle for the runnerup spot barring unforeseen circumstances.

The four are close together, average-wise, when comparing average dives in seven MSL meets this year.

Their averages in league competition are: Kriescher, 217.7; Seaman, 216.55; Cymbal, 214.7; McCratie, 207.5.

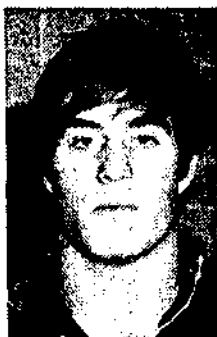
Three of the four are no strangers to conference meet competition. Seaman and Cymbal were third and fourth respectively in last year conference meet. Kriescher was seventh.

An added advantage might be the case for Cymbal, who'll be diving on his own boards in the Buffalo Grove Pool where the diving finals will be held.

Divers will perform 11 dives in the competition, compared to the usual six they've done in league meets all year.

Cashmore set a record in winning the conference title away from team-mate Jeff Speakman last year with a total of 380 points which narrowly beat out Speakman's 279-40.

This year, Cashmore is undefeated in conference competition, having taken on all comers including his top competitors. Cashmore also leads the Paddock Honor Roll in diving with a season high of 294.15 points, which he recorded two weeks ago in a losing cause against Elk Grove.



Bill Cashmore



John Kriescher



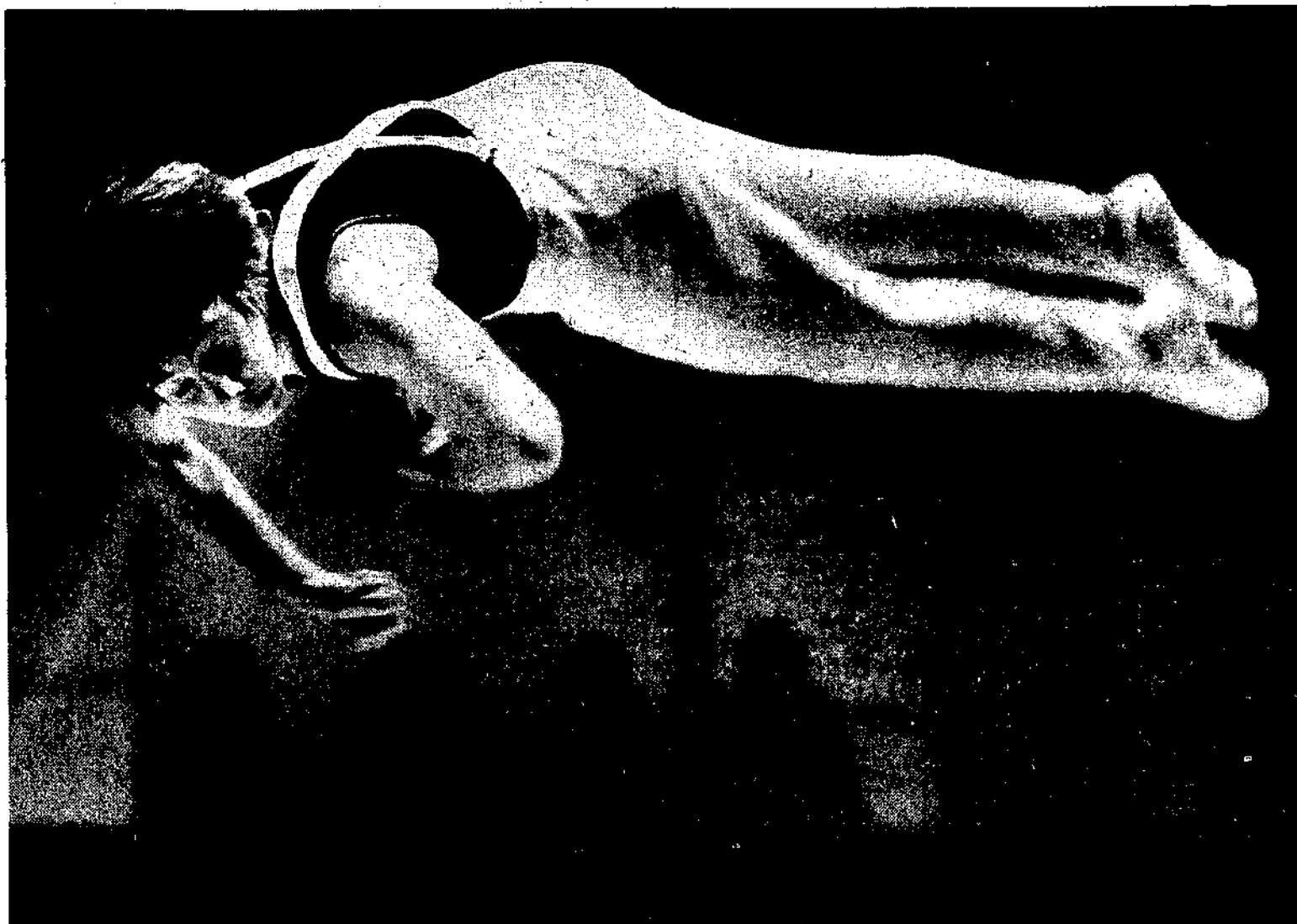
Alan Cymbal

Cashmore's competition tonight follows closely on the honor roll. Cymbal is second with a high of 250 points, followed by Seaman with 248, Kriescher with 241.20 and McCratie with 223.70.

Winning the top spot in diving often brings with it the psychological advantage of starting swimming competition Friday in first place.

But Arlington's two entries in the competition should mean the Cardinals will start out Friday night at the head of the pack as they gun for their fourth league title in a row.

"Even if they both do poorly, their combined points should have us out front," said Arlington swimming coach Don Anderson. "It would be a great lift psychologically."



MIKE RINE helped the Buffalo Grove gymnastics team qualify for the Mid-Suburban League's conference meet, which will be

held Saturday at Hersey High School. The Bison will complete their dual meet season

Thursday when they host the Wheeling Wildcats.

(Photo by Jay Needleman)



BOB GAUGER will lead the Rolling Meadows side horse team as the Mustangs host the Prospect

Knights in an MSL dual meet Thursday.

(Photo by Dave Gauger)

Saturday showdown

Duels tonight, Thursday lead to gym finals

by CHARLIE DICKINSON
Gymnastics Editor

The dual meet portion of the Mid-Suburban League gymnastics season will conclude tonight and Thursday as the teams begin the run to the conference meet Saturday at Hersey.

Meets tonight will find Palatine at Hersey, Arlington at Fremd, Conant at Elk Grove and Schaumburg at Forest View.

Prospect at Rolling Meadows and Wheeling at Buffalo Grove will wind up the conference race Thursday.

Hoffman Estates will host Barrington and West Chicago in a non-league match Thursday.

All meets begin at approximately 8 p.m.

The six teams who will qualify for the conference meet have been established. The last to join the lucky half dozen with a shot at the crown Hersey currently wears the title.

The Wildcats edged Arlington last week 129.17 to 126.49 to join Hersey, Elk Grove, Prospect, Rolling Meadows and Buffalo Grove at the top of the conference heap.

"That was the first time we've ever beaten Arlington," said Wheeling head coach Dave Watters. "It was close all the way and we had a good crowd. The kids really came through."

Leading the Wildcats to a team shot at the title were all-arounder Jeff Vanyek, still rings specialist Dale Brungaber and free ex man Bill McGeshick.

Vanyek threw a 6.24 all-around score to tie Arlington's Mark Titte for meet honors. Brungaber's 8.6 on rings was the second best score in the

Honor roll

MID-SUBURBAN LEAGUE HONOR ROLL
Free Ex — 1. Christensen (EG) 8.35, 2. Zahour (Pros) 8.45, 3. Muenz (Her) 8.35, 3. Illingworth (RM) 8.25, 2. Muenz (Her) 8.35, 3. Scholtz (Pros) 8.75, 2. Connelly (EG) 8.25, 3. Griffin (Arl) 8.15, High Bar — 1. Christensen (EG) and Liszewski (RM) 8.45, 2. Muenz (Her) and Balla (EG) 8.35, 3. Zahour (Pros) 8.25, Trampoline — 1. Zahour (Pros) 8.0, 2. Johnson (RM) 7.75, 3. Christensen (EG) and Winsell (RM) 7.7, P-Bars — 1. Tanguay (Pros) 8.55, 2. Christensen (EG) 8.5, 3. Muenz (Her) 8.45, Still Rings — 1. Wilke (Pros) 8.65, 2. Brungaber (Whi) 8.6, 3. Bycroft (RM) 8.45, All-Around — 1. Muenz (Her) 8.10, 2. Christensen (EG) 8.05, 3. Doug Smidt (Fr) 7.54.

league and McGeshick hit on 8.05 on free ex.

"It was the best routine McGeshick has thrown this year," Watters said.

Squaring off with Wheeling Thursday will be the Buffalo Grove Bison. They lost a tough meet with Hersey last week, their best efforts being an 8.0 on P-Bars by Mark Haisley and a 6.88 all-around effort by sophomore Dewey Deal.

Another key meet Thursday will be Prospect and Rolling Meadows. Both teams have qualified for the conference meet but that won't take any of the edge off the performances.

Meadows fought Elk Grove to the wire in their dual meet last week before falling 144.85 to 142.87.

"I like Maali like this," said Meadows coach Vic Avigliano. "It was close all the way and my kids did about as well as they could."

"Meadows is tough on both sophomore and varsity," said Prospect's Pat Kivland. "But just like last year we've started to come on strong at the

(Continued on Page 3)

Hockey team in upset; skater collects bronze

INNSBRUCK (UPI) — The United States made a giant stride toward a surprise hockey medal Tuesday by upsetting Finland 5-4 and a mother's shouted encouragement lifted Dan Immerfall to an Olympic Bronze Medal in the 500-meters speed skating event.

Immerfall's medal was the eighth collected by the U.S. so far; surpassing by one the total achieved in the last Winter Games at Sapporo, Japan, four years ago. And, while it was good day for the United States, a fraction of a second here, and a fraction there, could have made it a great one.

Dorothy Hamill of Riverside, Conn., took over the role of favorite in the women's figure skating after tracing near perfect patterns in the first three compulsory figures, while Phil Mahre's bid for an Alpine skiing medal ended gallantly when he finished fifth in the giant slalom.

But the surprise of the day was registered by the Hockey Team. The U.S. entered the contest decided underdogs after losing by scores of 9-3 and 9-2 to the Finns only two weeks ago in Finland in a series enroute to the games. These same Finns had knocked off the powerhouse Russians, those stick-handling wizards who had humbled five NHL teams in an eight-match series in the United States and Canada only last month.

Technically it may not have been the best game ever played. But it had plenty of excitement.



AMERICA'S Dorothy Hamill performs her compulsory figures Tuesday under the watchful eyes of the judges in Innsbruck.

The U.S. appeared to have a lock on the game when it led 4-2 midway through the final period. But the Finns scored twice within the span of 31 seconds around a goal by Bob Dobeck and suddenly the Americans were fighting to protect their lead.

Now Lady Luck, which seems to turn its back on Americans when it comes to questionable calls, smiled favorably.

With 3:36 showing on the clock,

Hannu Kapanen scored what appeared to be a perfectly good goal.

"Maali . . . Maali . . . Maali" (that's goal in Finnish) shouted the Finnish bench. Not so said Russian referee Viktor Dom-brovski. He ruled Kapanen had kicked the puck into the net.

Jim Warden performed a few more heroics in the U.S. net and suddenly it was all over.

It was time for the hugging and handshakes to begin.



BEST BET. Hersey's Bill Cashmore will be the favorite at this year's Mid-Suburban League diving championships. Cashmore will be looking to defend his league title won last year. Competition opens tonight at Buffalo Grove High School.

(Photo by Jay Needleman)

Bart Conner dazzles in international meet

Bart Conner continues to amaze. The Niles West senior made his pitch with the United States team trying to qualify for the Olympics over the weekend at a meet in Toronto, Canada.

In 12 routines, six compulsory and six optional, Conner totaled 112.10 points, the highest score every received by an American in international competition.

"This is the first true evaluation of Bart," said John Burkel, Conner's coach. "He is finally beginning to get the international recognition he deserves."

Conner's average for his optional routines was 9.4 while his compulsory

average was 9.28. Highlights of Conner's compulsory routines was a 9.65 on high bar. He also scored a 9.8 on his optional P-Bars routine.

The United States will face Romania Feb. 28-29 in Berkeley, Cal. The Romanians finished fourth in the World Games competition last year.

Conner's score of 112.10 topped outstanding college gymnasts as Wayne Young of Brigham Young (111.5), Tom Beach of the University of California (111.15) and Kurt Thomas of Indiana State (110.40).

It was also the ninth highest mark scored in the world and less than a point away from the world's best.

Sports world

Bulls bow to Sixers, 85-84

George McGinnis hit for 23 points, 11 in the third quarter, Tuesday night to lead the Philadelphia 76ers from a 15-point deficit to an 85-84 victory over the Chicago Bulls.

Mickey Johnson scored a three point play with 1:01 left to put the Bulls ahead 82-81, but a loose ball foul against Bob Love put McGinnis on the free throw line and he scored both shots to put Philadelphia ahead 83-82.

Chicago called time, hoping to get the last shot of the game, but Johnson missed a 10-footer. It was rebounded by Norm Van Lier but stolen away by Philadelphia's Steve Mix who was fouled with two seconds remaining. Mix converted both free throws.

Chicago's final play was by Jack Marin who went to the basket unmolested, unable to cause a foul and a possible three point play.

Chicago at one time led 42-27 in the second quarter but Philadelphia managed to grab the lead, 62-60, with 3:14 remaining in the third quarter.

Chicago was leading 60-54 until Philadelphia scored 11 straight points to outscore the Bulls 30-11 and build up a 65-46 lead. Chicago scored the final two baskets in the third period to trail by one.

Johnson led Chicago with 22 points and Love had 19. Fred Carter had 17 and Doug Collins 16 for Philadelphia.

Hawks pass on Redmond

The Chicago Black Hawks passed up a chance to acquire right winger Mickey Redmond on waivers because of doubts about the former Detroit Red Wings' physical condition.

Redmond was placed on waivers by Detroit after a long battle over the health of his back. He underwent surgery last year and has been complaining of pain ever since.

"His physical condition scares us," said Hawk general manager Tommy Ivan. "If we were sure he was physically able, sure we'd take him. But there's got to be something wrong. You don't just let a 50-goal scorer go without something being wrong."

Dent signs 1976 pact

Russell "Bucky" Dent, leading American League shortstop in 1975, and three other players have signed 1976 contracts with the Chicago White Sox, the club announced Tuesday.

The Sox now have signed 13 players to their 1976 roster. In addition to Dent, signed contracts were received for outfielder Niles Nyman, southpaw pitcher Ken Kravec and right-hander Jack Kueck.

Holtz new Jets mentor

Lou Holtz, an offensive wizard from North Carolina State whose trademark has been turning losers into winners, Tuesday was handed another opportunity to work his magic when he was named head coach of the New York Jets.

The 39-year-old Holtz, who turned both William & Mary and N.C. State into winners in his last two coaching assignments, signed a five-year contract. Terms were not announced.

Holtz, an amateur magician, most recently turned N.C. State from a doormat to a consistent bowl club, leading the Wolfpack to post-season appearances in all four seasons at the school. He will be asked to perform his wizardry again in New York.

The Jets finished last season as the worst defensive team in the National Football League and their 3-11 record and last place finish in the American Conference East marked their worst season ever. Head coach Charley Winner was fired in mid-season and offensive coordinator Ken Shipp finished the year.

'Hello Jerry? Jerry?'

American speed skater Sheila Young, winner of three medals at the Winter Olympics, was charged \$16.50 for a congratulatory telephone call from President Ford, but the White House said Tuesday she will be reimbursed.

The problem began Monday when Ford put in a call to Miss Young at the American Olympic team's quarters in Innsbruck, Austria. Miss Young, of Detroit, could not be located and called back about 90 minutes later.

But Press Secretary Ron Nessen said Tuesday that "there was some confusion here . . . The White House switchboard apparently didn't know who she was" and refused to accept charges for the call.

To talk to Ford for several minutes, Nessen said "she did have to pay for the call" at a cost of 300 Austrian shillings, equivalent to \$16.50.

Charleston named to Hall

Oscar Charleston, recognized as the Willie May of his era and once called by John McGraw "the greatest player I've ever seen," was named to the Baseball Hall of Fame Tuesday by the Committee on Negro Baseball Leagues.

Charleston, a lifetime .380 hitter whose career spanned five decades from 1915-54, becomes the seventh player selected to the Hall of Fame by the special committee, which was established in 1971 to recognize players who performed in the Negro Leagues.

Others named to the Cooperstown, N.Y., shrine by the special committee include Satchel Paige, Josh Gibson, Buck Leonard, Monte Irvin, James "Cool Papa" Bell and William "Judy" Johnson.

Charleston, a 5-foot-11, 210 pound outfielder-first baseman who died in 1954 at the age of 58, will have his name officially enshrined in the Hall of Fame on Monday, Aug. 9, along with pitchers Robin Roberts and Bob Lemon, first baseman Roger Connor, third baseman-outfielder Fred Lindstrom and umpire Cal Hubbard.

Giants' fate coming today

The fate of the San Francisco Giants — whether they will remain here or be sold and moved to Toronto, Canada, for the 1976 National League season — will be revealed Wednesday, a judge said Tuesday.

In effect, Superior Court Judge John E. Benson extended the city's restraining order and gave officials 24 hours to come up with a suitable buyer who is willing to match or come close to an "in principle" offer of \$13.25 million proffered by Labatt's Brewery, the Toronto Globe and Mail and a Toronto bank a month ago.

Owners to make offer

Major league baseball's clubowners are expected to offer several proposals today, including one concerning the reserve clause, which they hope will bring about an agreement with the Players Association.

Informed sources, however, said that Marvin Miller, executive director of the Players Association, is likely to reject the proposals "out of hand" and one baseball executive commented, "they won't get down to serious negotiating until a week before spring training."



WEIGHT (machine) watchers. Mount Prospect Lions Club Secretary Louie Velasco (left), Lions President Ed Losos and Prospect wrestling coach Darryl Phillips watch student Chris Peterson exercise on new weight machine donated by the Lions Club to Prospect High School. (Photo by Jay Needleman)

Green and Butman key Hawks' win over Thornton

Special to The Herald

Scott Green hit 10 of 11 shots from the field and pulled down 11 rebounds to lead a balanced Hawks attack Tuesday night as the Hawks turned back the Thornton Bulldogs, 86-82.

The win elevated the Hawks record to 10-14 for the year and completed a season sweep of Thornton.

The Hawks fell behind early but fought back to take a 40-35 lead at halftime.

Green, working inside, missed only one shot as he finished with 20 points to tie Jim Arden for team scoring honors.

"Scott just played a super game," said Harper's Roger Bechtold. "We needed a little more scoring from him and we got it. He played an outstanding game tonight and if he continues to play like this he'll really help us down the stretch."

Wally Butman pumped in 19 points but, more importantly, put the defensive clamps on Thornton's high scoring Trevor Banks.

Banks derailed the Hawks in the first game the two teams played, an overtime win for the Hawks, when he cashed in 35 points.

Tuesday night, though Butman held him to 21 points.

"Wally really did a good job on him," Bechtold said. "Thornton really has a lot of talent even though they haven't won many games. That Banks is a fine ballplayer."

Harper got further double figure scoring from guard Bill Kenney, who hit for 16 points.

"Bill hit some key baskets down the stretch when Thornton was making a comeback," Bechtold said.

The Hawks will host Triton Thursday in their final home game of the season.

Oakton captures Skyway trophy

Oakton Community College clinched the Skyway Conference basketball championship with a 73-67 triumph over Waubesa. The Raiders earned their ninth consecutive victory as the state's leading scorer Tom Florentine (Maine South) poured in 36 points, nine over his average.

Mike Baren (Maine East) contributed a dozen points and hauled down 10 rebounds while Jerry Jones, another Maine South product, swept the boards with 12 rebounds.

Mustangs edge Cards, 50-49

by JIM COOK

Jerry McGill, a 63 per cent free-throw shooter upon entering Tuesday night's cross-divisional game, knocked the bottom out of the net on two crucial charities with only four seconds remaining to present five-year-old Rolling Meadows with its first varsity basketball triumph ever over Arlington, 50-49.

"I asked for the ball during our timeout with nine seconds left," the ice-veined, 6-foot-4, senior forward replied. "I think I'm shaking worse now than when I was on the line."

The Mustangs obliged the last-second request, and although McGill's dramatic shot from the floor was rejected by Arlington's Tom North, official Dave Tosh came running out of the pile of players with a raised arm indicating a foul had been committed.

"Yes, I heard the whistle," a dejected Don Drain admitted through the din of Rolling Meadows fans swarm-

ing onto the floor. "We just didn't play very well tonight."

The deficiencies lacking from the players' angle were more than countered by chess-like strategy from Drain and Rolling Meadows' Bill Weinberg down the frantic stretch.

Through a myriad of timeouts came testimony of the game's spectacular finish. The score was tied five times during the last 12 minutes and the lead changed hands on no less than 10 occasions.

The Mustangs appeared to take command after Noe Nunez' two free throws gave Meadows a 48-45 spread with 40 seconds left, but replying buckets by Jim Grandt and Frank DeSimone of Arlington pushed Arlington on top, 49-48 before McGill made his final request.

McGill led all scorers with 19 while teammates John Carbery hit for 13 and Terry Moran a dozen. DeSimone popped in 15, Grandt 13 and Greg Kloiber 10 for the Cards.

Saxons roll to 18th win

by PAUL LOGAN

The 1-2-3 punch of John Chmiel, Ed Chmiel and Jon McIlraith combined for 50 points as the Schaumburg Saxons rolled to a convincing 80-59 victory over the hosting Fremd Vikings in a Mid-Suburban cross-over basketball game Tuesday night.

McIlraith poured in 11 points, including a tip-in that gave the Saxons the lead for good at 15-14, in the first quarter. Ed Chmiel tossed in eight during that period — all coming on nifty moves underneath the basket.

John Chmiel enjoyed a 10-point second quarter as he led his team to a 44-30 halftime advantage.

The Saxons played a nearly error free first half en route to their 18th win in 21 games. They committed just three turnovers while using a full court press, a man-to-man defense and the fast break.

With the Chmiel brothers, McIlraith and Dan Breen all scoring at least four points each in the third quarter,

the MSL's South Division leaders (8-2) took a commanding 63-37 advantage.

Trailing 63-44 heading into the final period, Fremd (6-14 over-all) finally forced the Saxons into mistakes. But the dozen Schaumburg turnovers came too late.

John Chmiel finished with 25 points, including 11 of 13 from the foul line. Several Viking defenders found this big Saxon too tough to handle. He also had 13 rebounds — tops for both teams.

Brother Ed finished with 19 points and McIlraith had 18 before fouling out early in the fourth quarter.

Saxon coach Joe Breault saw his team outrebound Fremd 41-25. Behind Chmiel's 13 boards came McIlraith with nine and Breen with seven. Breen had 13 points.

Fremd substitutes Kerry Field and Rick Ramsey had five rebounds each.

Rick Kolze led the Vikings with 10 points. Right behind were Dale Hallberg (9), Paul Stanczak (8), Tom Moffat (8) and Greg Schroeder (8).

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Wadkins has the game — and handicap

PALM DESERT — Golf is a game which can be played with an infirmity — sometimes it seems best that way.

Ed Furgol survived a withered left arm to win the National Open. Ben Hogan crawled out of a car wreck to win three National Opens, two Masters and a British Open with veins so smashed up he had to stand on his head in the morning to get blood to his legs.

Blind men can actually be low-handicap players. Guys have won with hangers, after fights with their wives, staying up all night with sick children or sleeping in their cars cross-country. Guys have won the National Open who couldn't see without glasses or who couldn't see over their stomachs.

It's almost as if the game doesn't respond to vibrant health or all-out physical attack. Arnold Palmer was the only one who went at it as if it were the 15th round of a close fight. It's like the pitcher who feels so strong his ball does things a tired arm couldn't make it do and he can't get the ball over the plate. It's a game you have to go at easily and not all out.

Don January won a Tournament of Champions once with a case of galloping dysentery and he had to gallop all right — after every shot. Cary Middlecott won two U.S. Opens and a Masters with constant hay fever.

Which is why a lot of us are watching Lanny Wadkins. Lanny has the game to win. But, more importantly, he has the handicap.

Lanny Wadkins came out of Wake Forest five years ago with stardom written all over his game. Only 20, he had already won his first major championship, the U.S. Amateur. He had won three tournaments and over \$200,000 in one year when he was only 23 years old. Lanny was a legend while he still had his baby teeth.

His handicap was nothing the home pro could fix. It was not his backswing or putting stroke. At least, not at first.

An ordinary person finds out he's unwell when he gets a coating on his tongue, spots before his eyes or his ears ring. An X-ray may be needed.

A golf pro finds out long before any machines or stethoscopes can. A golf pro finds out when he walks to his drive and it's 30 yards short of where it used to be. A golf pro finds out when he uses a 3-wood where he used to need only a good six-iron. A golf



Jim Murray

pro finds out when his muscles quit in the middle of a swing.

A golf pro finds out in the pocketbook, not the clinic. When Lanny, who had made \$200,455 in 1973 and had made \$45,000 through only the second week in March 1974 — and then had to settle for only \$6,124 more the rest of the year, he knew that whatever was happening was terminal for his golf game.

He got so weak, he would be coming up the fairways 50 yards behind his fellow pros — and so would his shots.

He went to strange doctors in strange towns, and since Lanny was only 23 years old, they guessed mononucleosis. He was the right age for it.

Usually, you get a diseased gall bladder only after about 50 years of eating gravy, French fries or delicatessen pastrami, pickles and box lunches at the office desk. You find out you've got it when your belches start coming five minutes apart.

They thought Lanny Wadkins was too young to have this kind of trouble, which goes along with bifocals, hot-water bottles and a 10-year diet of bicarbonate of soda.

One morning in December of 1974, Lanny Wadkins was rudely awakened at 6 in the morning in his hotel room. It wasn't a fan or a drunk, it was his gall bladder. He was only 3 feet from the phone but he couldn't make it. So far as he was concerned, the phone was a par-5 away. He doubled over and fought for breath.

He thought it was either a fatal heart attack, or something worse. He lay for 40 minutes in a cold sweat. When he gradually felt better, he showed up for a practice round at Disney World with Arnold Palmer. It was no place for a man who belonged in an oxygen tent, not a sand trap.

Any golfer in the world could have told you that Lanny was seriously ill just from looking at his golf score — and where his drives landed. But medicine finally caught up with leader boards put a tracer dye through Lanny's gall bladder. When the dye couldn't make it, they knew the gall bladder was the seat of the double-hogeyes.

Lanny Wadkins was operated on for three hours. His appendix, badly swollen, was removed as well.

Although he was delirious for several days and had drain tubes in his side and nose for weeks, Wadkins wanted to tee it up again before he got the tubes out of his nose. He returned to the tour much too soon.

Part of the problem was that the gall bladder's destruction of his golf game was total. "When you start hitting the ball short and feeling weak, you start trying to hit the ball harder and pretty soon you mess up your swing pattern."

This time, what had happened to Lanny's game was nothing a surgeon could fix. But he persisted in playing when he should have been resting or getting back in the game gradually. Lanny made only \$23,330, or about what a fair tour caddy can gross.

They thought maybe the disease had spread to his clubs, but, this year, Lanny Wadkins, in three tournaments, has had only two rounds over par — one in Phoenix and one in the second round at the B'n' Hope tournament down here.

"The doctor told me it would take eight months before the stomach would be back to normal. I rushed it and paid for it."

But, with one major already in his bag, a second in the PGA and a finish at the Oakmont National Open of 85 (the year Johnny Miller finished with 63) you know that when his stomach juices are being taken care of all right, Lanny can handle the golf part of his health.

Besides, J. Lanston Wadkins is still only 26 years old — which is too young to have a gall bladder attack but not too young to win his second — or third — major tournament in 1976. If something goes wrong with his golf swing now, it's something he can fix with his clubs, not sodium pentothal and scalpels.

Gym teams prepare for league test

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end of the year like we should.

"People are starting to look at us," Prospect owns the third best score posted in the state this year, a 148.46. They had to scratch for a slim win over New Trier East over the weekend, though.

"That was an important meet for us," Kivland remarked. "We were down the whole meet and then our P-Bar team came through and won it for us."

"It showed us even if we fall behind to Rolling Meadows we can come back."

Prospect's Dave Scheible threw the best side horse routine in the MSL last week with an 8.75. Doug Zahour made the Honor Roll in free ex, high bar and trampoline, where his 8.0 was the league's best.

If Meadows' free ex team clicks they could put the Knights at an early disadvantage. Mike Illingworth, Chris Hirth and Glenn Dahl hit for 24 points against Elk Grove and Illingworth

tumbled onto the Honor Roll with an 8.25.

The Mustangs trampoline corps is also strong as Glenn Johnson and Troy Winsell made the Honor Roll.

Hersey will honor their seniors tonight prior to meeting the Palatine Pirates.

Don Von Ebers is still looking for the combination that will keep the MSL championship at home.

"The routines haven't been materializing like we expected," the Hersey

coach said. "Most routines have been improving a little but we still have a way to go before we peak."

Fremd's Doug Smidl worked all-around for the first time since before the new year and posted a career high of 7.34.

The Vikings will tangle with Arlington tonight. The Cardinals' still rings team, one of the best in the conference, placed on one on the Honor Roll but Kyle Chamblee and Tom Staley both hit in the eights.

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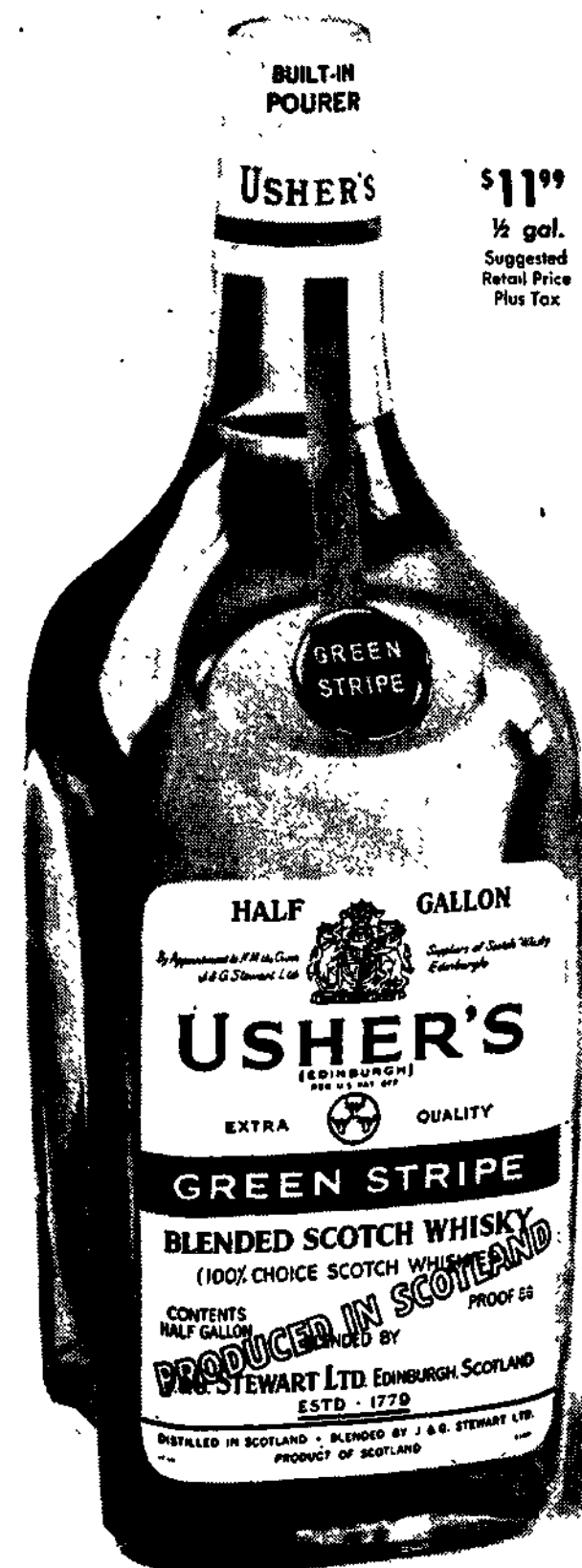
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Youth hockey

Meadows Warriors

WEEK 2
Belling Meadows 3, Elmhurst 0
 Goals were scored by Lottner, Wolter, and Sims and assists went to Rance, Plantun, Sanders and Blanchard. It was the second shutout of the year for Meadows.
Belling Meadows 4, Glenora 2
 Smith, Blanchard and Rance scored goals and Humerick and Popovich racked up two assists apiece. Peszek turned in an outstanding defensive effort.
SQUADS
Belling Meadows 2, Westers 1
 Yosenick and Sanders tallied in the third period to get the win. Carlson assisted on the game-winning Hupke was brilliant in net and Lottner, Doyle and Norris stood out on defense.
Belling Meadows 5, Harrington 3
 Hupke was great in net again as goals by Lottner, Doyle, Peterson, Carlson and Sanders gave the Warriors a win over the Broncos.

Chicago Jesters

WEEK 3 - AAA
Jesters 4, Park Ridge 1
 In one of their strongest efforts of the year Jesters defeated a fine Park Ridge team on their home ice. Brandon led the Jesters with a three goal hat trick while Helinski scored the fourth goal. Assists went to Lottner, Doyle, Peterson, Carlson and Sanders.
Jesters 3, Franklin Park 0
 Jesters Mike Miller turned it on to handle Franklin Park. Miller scored in the first period, while Brandon scored in the second. Helinski and Carlson scored in the third. Assists were earned by Short, Brunner, Nardella, Pike and Calleri. Lange recorded his 11th shutout of the year and 12th shutout for the team. Lessner turned in an extremely strong effort on defense.
Jesters 3, Elmhurst Blades 2
 After spotting Elmhurst two goals, Jesters put it together to score three unanswered goals. Nardella scored first assisted by Brandon. Calleri scored next assisted by Burke and Nardella. Helinski scored the game winner, unassisted.
WEEK 4 - AAA
Jesters 5, Glenora 3
 In spite of being outshot by the Glenora Wings the Jesters held on to defeat the Glenora Wings for the first time this year. In four previous games, the Wings had won 3 and tied 1. Brandon (2), Calleri, Carlson, and Helinski were the Jesters' marksmen. Lange was outstanding in the nets, turning back some very difficult shots by the Glenora Squirrels. Season record for the Chicago Jesters now stands at 34 wins, 9 ties, 1 loss against both Glenora and Squirrels.

600 Club

600-257—Mike Heffner, bowling for Formco Metal Products in Paddock Classic at Beverly, hit 257-200 Feb. 7.
 601—Richard Hildebrandt, bowling for Macademics in Mixed Nuts at Elk Grove, hit 241-200-214 Jan. 30.
 602—Rich Moore, bowling for Oost Produce in Paddock Classic at Beverly, hit 229-242-201 Feb. 7.
 603—LeRoy Weaver, bowling in Tuesday Mixed at Hoffman, hit 233-226-223 Feb. 3.
 604—Ernie Newlandowski, bowling for Osh-lyne in St. Emily at Thunderbird, hit 220-218-241 Jan. 10.
 605—Dan Cooper, bowling for Burmetco in Tuesday Ten Pins at Beverly, hit 225-243-201 Feb. 7.
 606—Frank Billy, bowling for Beverly Lakes in Paddock Classic at Beverly, hit 228-217-225 Feb. 7.
 607—Jerry Bellasi, bowling for Team 2 in Mary Sent of Wisdom at Sim's, hit 240-196-221 Feb. 4.
 608—Ray Stieber, bowling for Des Plaines Ace Hardware in Paddock Classic at Beverly, hit 234-176-242 Feb. 7.
 609—Bob Kaul, bowling for Formco Metal Products in Paddock Classic at Beverly, hit 223-187-234 Feb. 7.
 610—Kevin Beckmann, bowling in High School at Beverly, hit 223-202-202 Feb. 7.
 611—Fred Hansen, bowling for Formco Metal Products in Paddock Classic at Beverly, hit 228-207-202 Feb. 7.
 612—Bill Cornelius, bowling for Des Plaines Ace Hardware in Paddock Classic at Beverly, hit 186-204-248 Feb. 7.
 613—Hak Rogers, bowling for Cedar Envelope in St. Raymond Men at Striking, hit 190-224-213 Jan. 23.
 614—Lyn Kuebler, bowling for Kenneth Wood Cont. in St. John Lutheran at Beverly, hit 199-211-223 Feb. 5.
 615—Dave Schenfeld, bowling for Eddie's Lounge in Tuesday Ten Pins at Beverly, hit 177-220-228 Feb. 2.
 616—Pat Melkunas, bowling for No Name in Paddock Classic at Beverly, hit 147-215-265 Jan. 26.
 617—Jay Nabau, bowling for Ted's Liquors in Paddock Classic at Beverly, hit 214-214-301 Feb. 7.
 618—Carol Sander, bowling for Kelly's Riding & Saddle Shop in Ladies Trio Classic at Thunderbird, hit 233-206-194 Feb. 2.
 619—Lynne Waver, bowling for Ten Pin Bowl in Paddock Women Classic at Beverly, hit 240-208-169 Feb. 7.
 620—Lyn Waver, bowling for Cumberland Pharmacy in St. Emily at Thunderbird, hit 193-212-221 Jan. 23.
 621—Phyllis Smith, bowling for Nora's Pharmacy in Hoffman Industrial, hit 207-198-241 Jan. 23.
 622—Lobby Lohmeyer, bowling for B. C. Striker Lounge in Paddock Classic at Beverly, hit 224-204-188 Feb. 7.
 623—Ethel Jaeger, bowling for Valloquet, Inc. in Ladies Trio Classic at Thunderbird, hit 205-202-211 Feb. 2.

Bowling

At Elk Grove Bowl

Cassco rolled the high team series of the year in the Elk Grove Men's Classic League at Elk Grove Bowl with a score of 3,622. Elk Grove Prags threw the second highest series of the season on the same night when they totaled 2,993.
 Throwing 900-plus series were Ibbotson 233-201-255-228, Schulz 211-240-180-240, Lennarz 233-211-178-222, Ballmaier 195-222-187-212, Altschuler 222-202-180-214, Abraham 184-223-201-208 and Rosko 181-200-222-207.

At River Rand Bowl

Stars of the week in the River Rand Ladies Scratch Trio League at River Rand Bowl were Tomaszewski 245-207, Hansen 208-244, Metzinger 517, Roth 616, Thoren 205-511, Namowicz 510 and Hengst 207-507.

Harper's women win gym meet

The Harper women's gymnastics team finished up their regular season on a happy note as they downed Mayfair and Elgin in a triangular meet.

The Hawks swept the top three places on three events to total 88.05 points. Mayfair took second at 86.85 and Elgin third at 25.70.

On vaulting Linda Pleckham (8.2), Carol Moore (8.05) and Holly Woldenberg (7.55) dominated the field. Sue Paster (7.25), Woldenberg (6.9) and Pleckham (6.8) took the top three places on the uneven parallel bars.

The top three places on floor exercise went to Paster (8.0), Pleckham (7.5) and Moore (7.3).

Moore and Paster took the top two places on the balance beam with scores of 7.9 and 6.4 respectively.

Paster (29.10) and Pleckham (26.80) also placed one-two in the all-around competition.

Harper will compete in the junior college state meet Thursday at Triton College beginning at 3:30 p.m. They will also enter the state qualifying tournament Friday at George Williams College.

Scoreboard

At Elk Grove Bowl

Art DeBartoli took top honors in the Mixed Nuts League with a 225-202-200-534 series, followed by Abernethy 224-613, and Hildebrandt 201-655. Bleutman was the top woman with a 210-611. Others were Hildebrandt 176-477 and Nahlsson 173-458.

At Brunswick NW

In recent Wausau League action, Wright rolled a 557 on games of 188, 182 and 182. Reed had a 518-101 and Kaelin a 527. Earlier, Martin rolled a 213 and Markese had a 537 series with a 189 and 182.
 D. E. Key punch moved into first place in the Monday Nite Ladies League as high game was rolled by Evans House (528) and high series was bowled by the House of Anthony (2672). Humphries was 95 pins over average. Top scores Marchini 219, Dexter 171, Platts 170, Maliero 165, Gerald 612, Asquini 499, Albrecht 416, Banner

406, Freyer 401, Wagstaff 366, and Smith 364. Spills were picked up by Platts, Meyer and Gerald.

At Schaumburg Lanes

The Holy Rollers had high game 609 and the Sport Court team had high series 1891 in the Matinee Ladies League. Among top individuals were Spiller 179-498, Braske 171-496, Malowski 171-478, Varada 170-477, Herlache 485, Kuiper 178, Gorski 177, Long 175, Cassel 176, Dombrowski 174, Schadeck picked up the 4-10 and Cress converted the 5-10.

At Beverly Lanes

High bowler for the Lady Elks League was Lucas with a 493. High scratch games were rolled by Schiller 189, Smith 189 and Honnessy 177. The Ruby team had both high game 588 and high series 1988. Top handicap games were by Lemier 220, Froule 211, Honnessy 208, Schiller 208, Mader 206, and Smith 204. Samuelson converted the 5-7 and the 6-10 and Holmes picked off the 3-9-10. Zircon is still in first place.

NW ladies travel league

Marie Cox rolled a 554-215 and Jean Blackburn and C. Dugill had 528s as Saunders, Ullman 76 held first place with 52 points. Standings — Saunders 52, bowlway Lanes 50, Omega Sports 50, Zayre 44 1/2, Piccoli Hair Ltd. 41 1/2, Streamwood Lanes 41 1/2, Alloy Welding 38, Hoffman Lanes 35.

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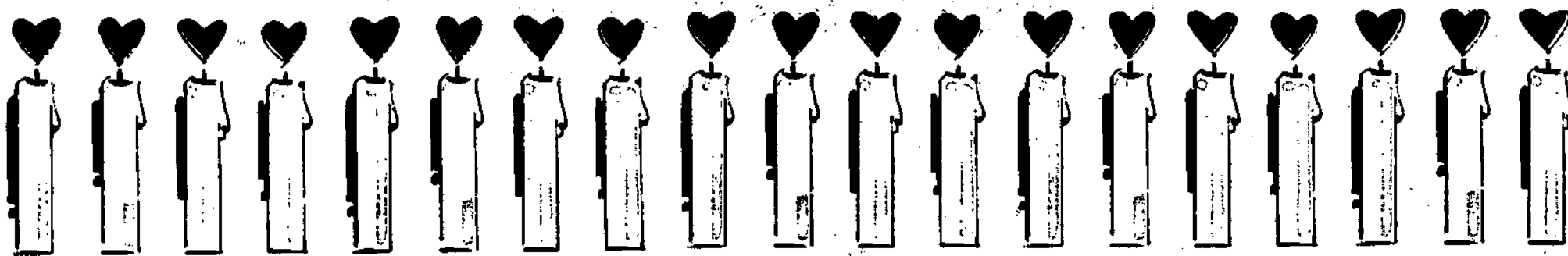
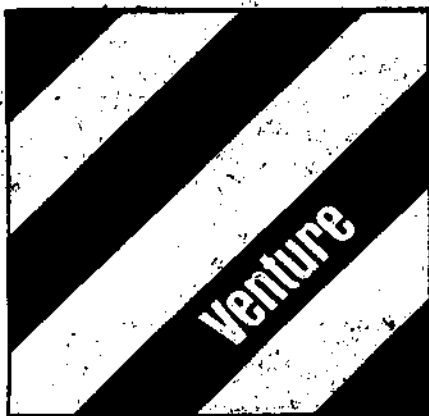
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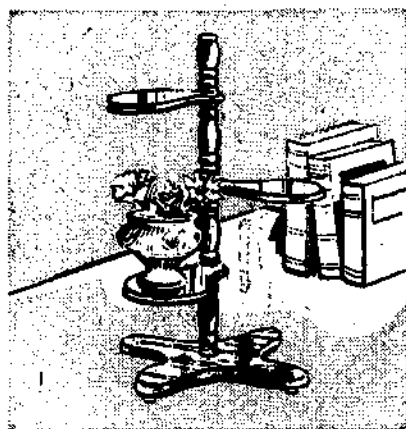
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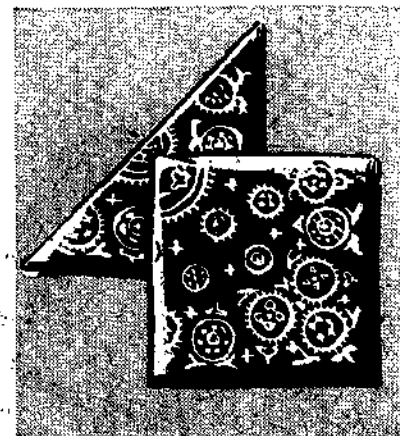
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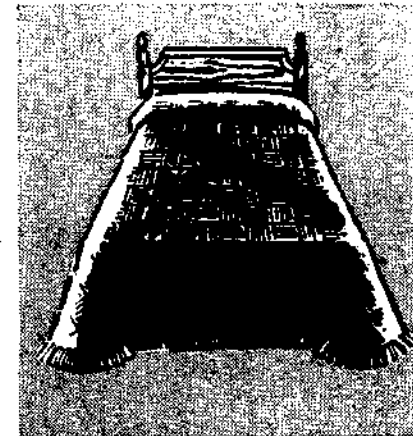
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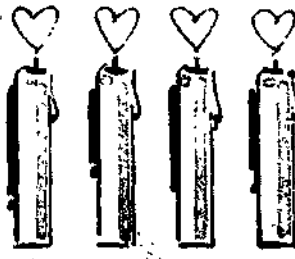
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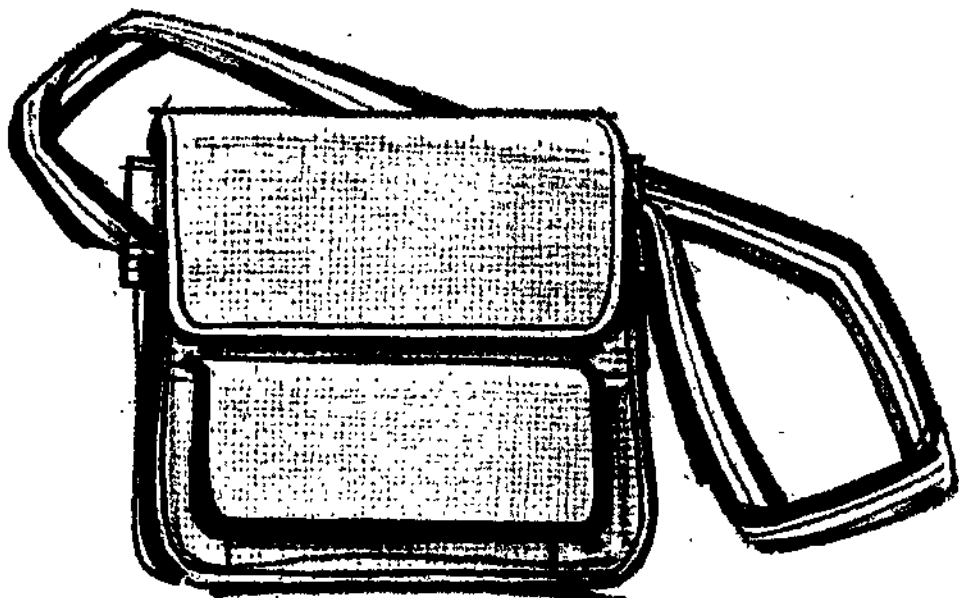
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NOVELTY FASHION T-SHIRTS the perfect go with anything top. Loaded with interesting natural trims like hemp, ribbon, crochet; Juniors S-L, reg. \$8.97.



300 CASUAL CANVAS SHOULDER BAGS are a gift that gals never have enough of....carefree, young bags; reg. \$3.97.



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These elegant SETS are the dreamiest gift of all...exquisitely trimmed with lace & embroidery...and made of luxury nylon in sizes S, M, L, XL, reg. \$10.97.

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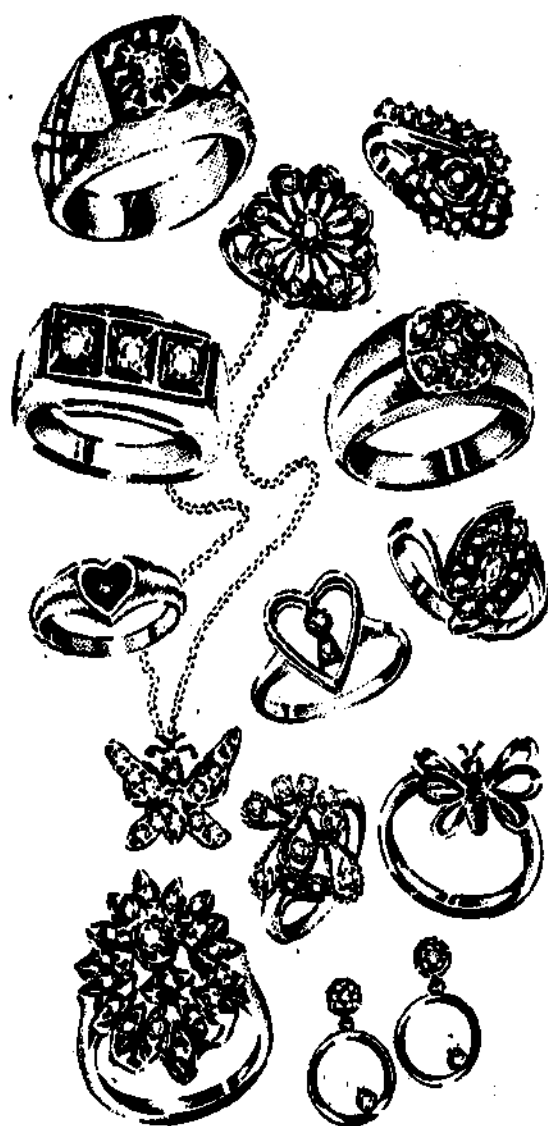
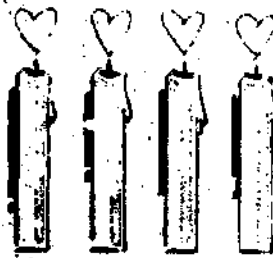
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Some people buy our diamonds because of our great prices; but there's so many other reasons to shop Venture for fine jewelry. Our trained, professional staff will show you our outstanding array of gems...with stones ranging from flawless to those with slight imperfections. Have something special in mind? We'll be happy to make a custom design.

When you buy that diamond, you have the assurance that Venture stands behind it. Return it any time within 30 days for a complete refund or trade it whenever you wish at the full purchase price. You may want to use our diamond lay-a-way; it's a great place to hide a gift. We'll even clean your rings and check the mounting each time you come to Venture...because we love diamonds too.



5 FUNCTION LED WATCH

49⁰⁰

Reg. \$69.99

- HOUR • SECOND • DAY
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Save \$20.99 and get the watch you've been wanting...the LED! Instant information at the touch of a button for less than you'd dream possible. Gold or silver tone case with leather strap.

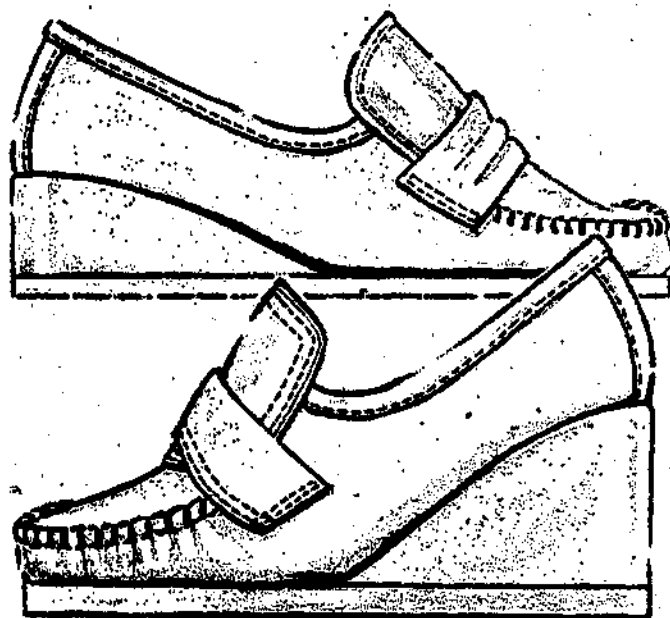
WEDGED IS WONDERFUL

888

GALS CASUALS have a medium wedge and crepe soles. 5-10; reg. \$10.97.

1088

FASHION WEDGES are higher for this year; in gals 5-10; reg. \$12.97.



888

MENS SPORT SHIRTS have long sleeves; all cotton chambray or tie-dye blue; S-XL; Reg. \$8.97-11.97.

788

PATCH POCKET JEANS are flare bottom denim; boy's several pair white; our price is so low; waists 30-38.

988

FAMOUSMAKER JEANS are made of sturdy 13 3/4 oz. indigo denim; vent. slit flares in slv; 20-34; reg. \$15.97.

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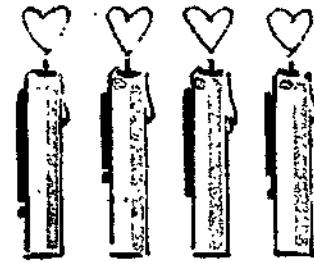
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ENGLISH LEATHER

- 3⁵⁰ English Leather Musk Soap
- 5⁰⁰ English Leather 5 Oz. Musk Cologne
- 5⁰⁰ English Leather 5 Oz. Ginseng Cologne
- 2⁵⁰ English Leather Asst. Soap-On-A-Rope
- 3⁰⁰ English Leather Asst. After Shaves
- 4⁰⁰ English Leather Asst. 4 Oz. Colognes



REVLON

- 3⁵⁰ Jontue Cologne 3/4 Oz. Spray
- 4⁰⁰ Jontue 2.5 Oz. Body Silk
- 6⁵⁰ Jontue Cologne 5 Oz. Splash
- 5⁰⁰ Charlie 4 Oz. Body Silk
- 5⁵⁰ Charlie Cologne 3 1/2 Oz. Splash
- 6⁷⁵ Charlie Cologne 2 1/8 Oz. Spray

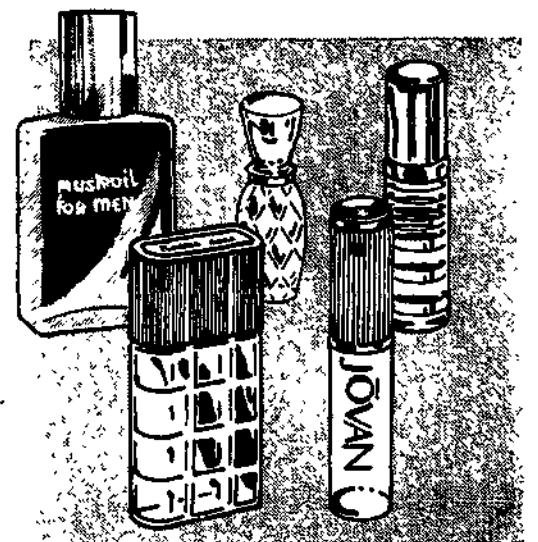


COTY

- 2⁹⁵ Sweet Earth 2 Oz. Spray Mist Asst.
- 5⁰⁰ Nuance 1.8 Oz. Spray Cologne
- 4²⁵ Coty 1.8 Oz. Spray Mist Asst.
- 1⁹⁵ Sweet Earth Perfume Compact
- 2⁰⁰ Coty Wild Musk .75 Oz. Spray Mist

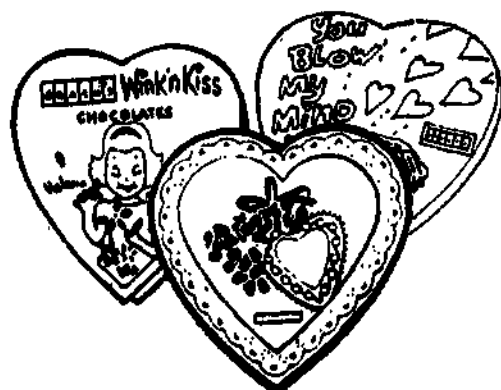
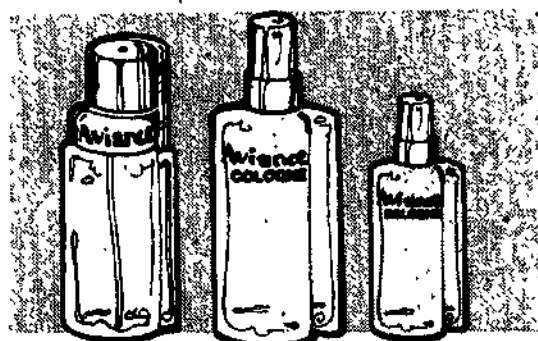
JOVAN

- 6⁰⁰ Musk For Men 4 Oz. After Shave/Cologne
- 6⁰⁰ Jovan Musk Oil 1/3 Oz. Perfume
- 6⁰⁰ Jovan Musk Oil 2 Oz. Spray Mist
- 7⁵⁰ Madame Jovan 2 1/4 Oz. Spray
- 7⁵⁰ Monsieur Jovan 4 Oz. After Shave/Cologne



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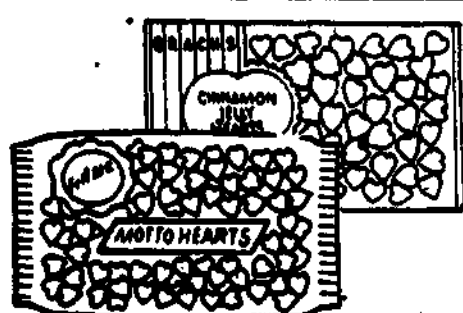
- 4⁵⁰ Aviance 1.7 Oz. Spray Cologne
- 4⁰⁰ Aviance 2 Oz. Cologne
- 4⁰⁰ Aviance 1 Oz. Crema Perfume



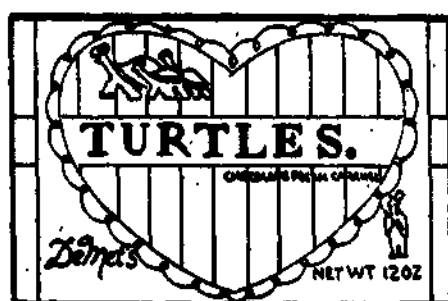
- 1⁰⁹ YOUR CHOICE 8 OZ. HEARTS. Choose from 3 styles. Reg. \$1.33.



- 2⁵⁹ WHITMAN'S 1 LB. SAMPLER is an all time favorite of light and dark chocolate.



- 7^{9¢} FRITZIE 16 OZ. BABY MOTTO HEARTS
- 5^{9¢} BRACH'S 16 OZ. CINNAMON JELLY HEARTS



- 1⁹⁹ DEMET'S 12 OZ. TURTLES are delicious caramel, pecan, and chocolate. Reg. \$2.49.



- 2⁶⁹ 1 LB. DELUXE HEART by Brach's. Choose from a large assortment. Reg. \$2.99.
- 3²⁹ 1 LB. FLOWER TOP HEART by Brach's. Share love! Reg. \$3.29.
- 4⁶⁹ TORRID TIFFANY 1 LB. HEART by Schmitt for your Valentine. Reg. \$4.69.

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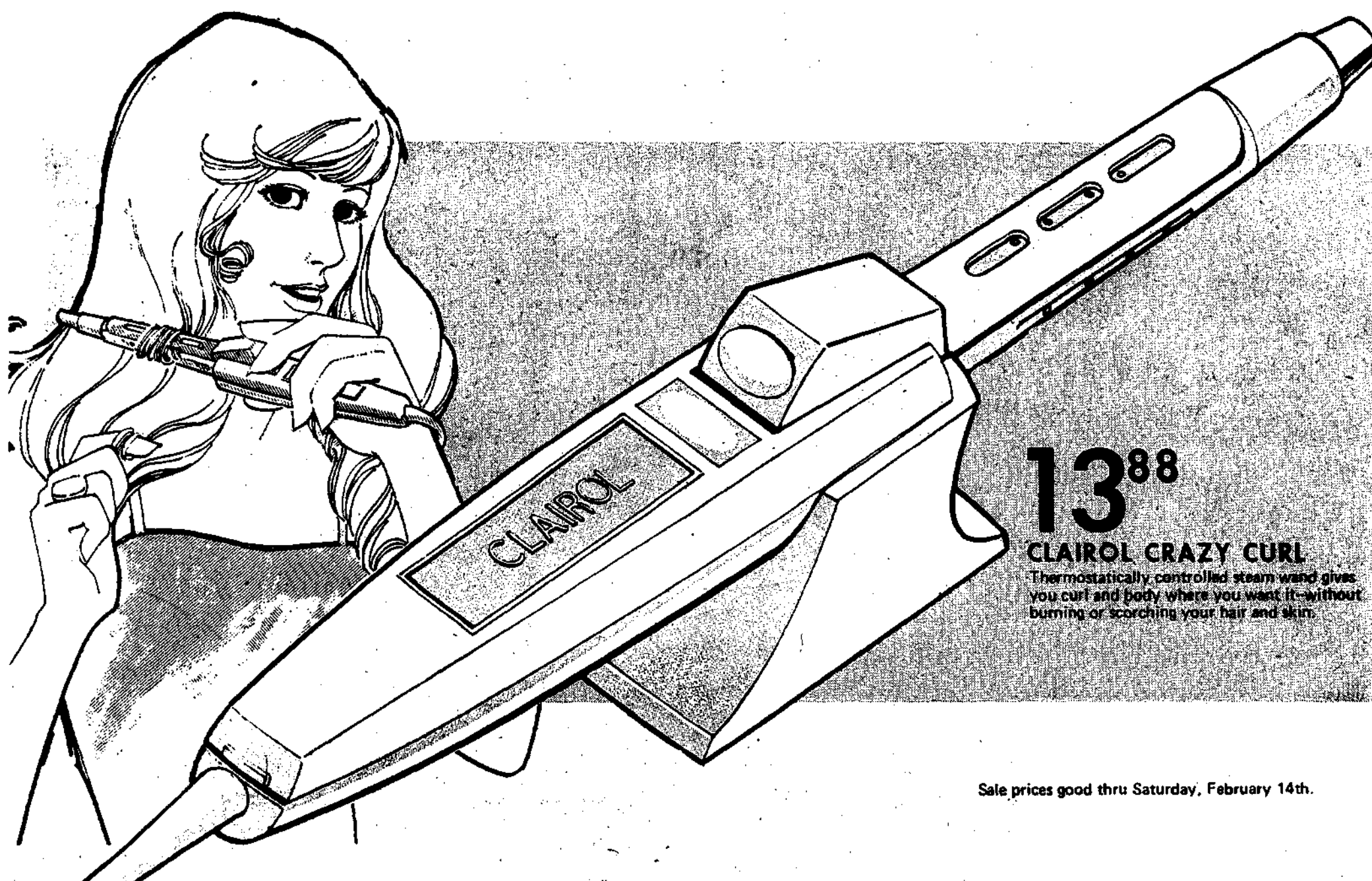
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CLAIROL CRAZY CURL

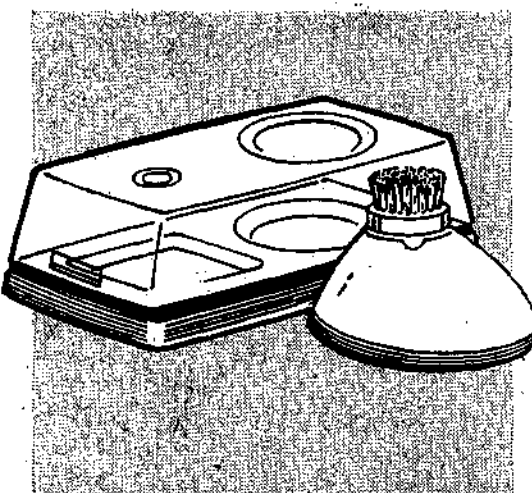
Thermostatically controlled steam wand gives you curl and body where you want it—without burning or scorching your hair and skin.

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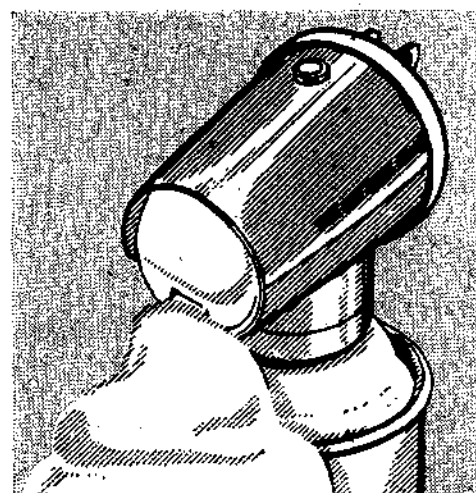
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CLAIROL PRO GUN has 1000 big watts of power, plus concentrator. For really quick sets like the beauty operators give!



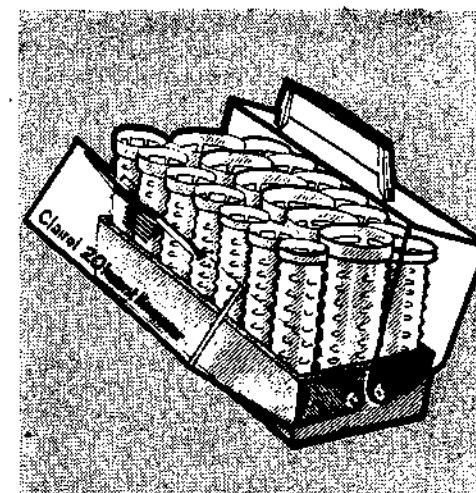
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CLAIROL SKIN MACHINE helps clean-out blocked pores for clean and clear skin. Start your beauty program today! Battery operated.



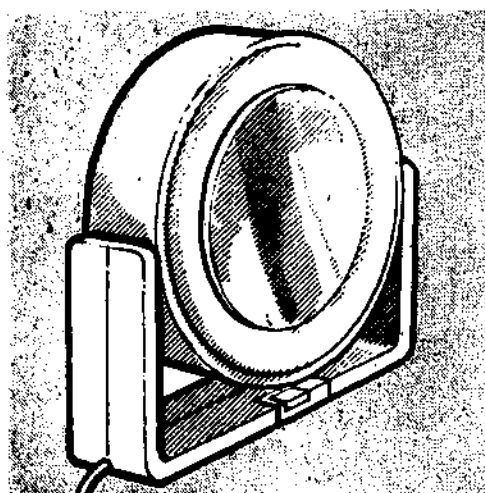
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CLAIROL HOT SHAVE CAPSULE fits most standard shaving creams. For a closer, more comfortable shave. Immersible.



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CLAIROL INSTANT HAIRSETTER has a twenty roller assortment to style your hair the way you like. Fast and easy, too!



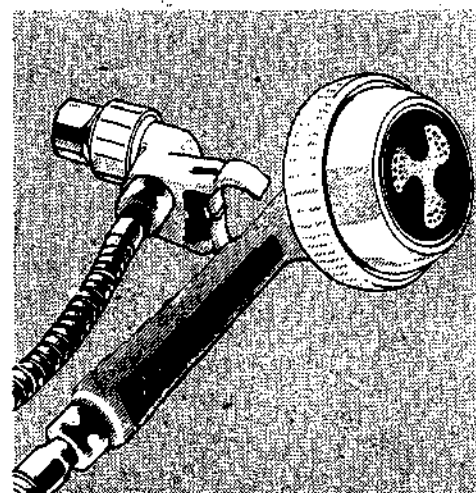
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CLAIROL MIRROR MIRROR with regular and magnifying sides is great for applying make-up and shaving. Wall mountable. Save!



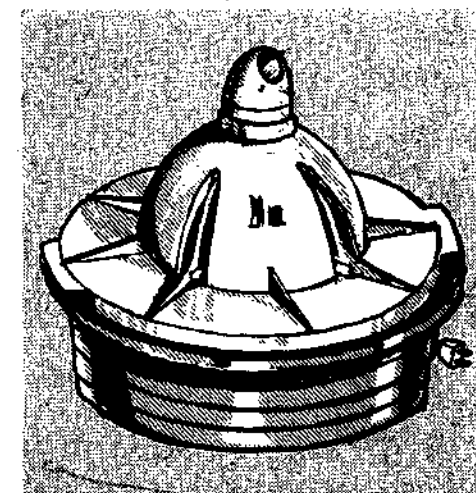
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GILLETTE SUPER MAX II has adjustable drying power: 200-900 watts. Five attachments dry and styles your hair in minutes.



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WATER PIK DELUXE SHOWER MASSAGE relaxes tired and tense muscles. Replaces shower head—easy to install. You'll love it!



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HANKCRAFT HUMIDIFIER/VAPORIZER has a 1 3/5 gallon capacity. Directional nozzle lets you send vapor where you want it.

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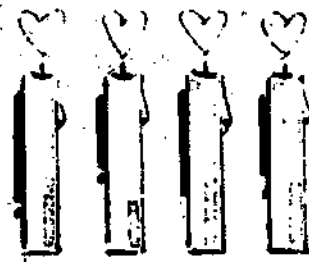
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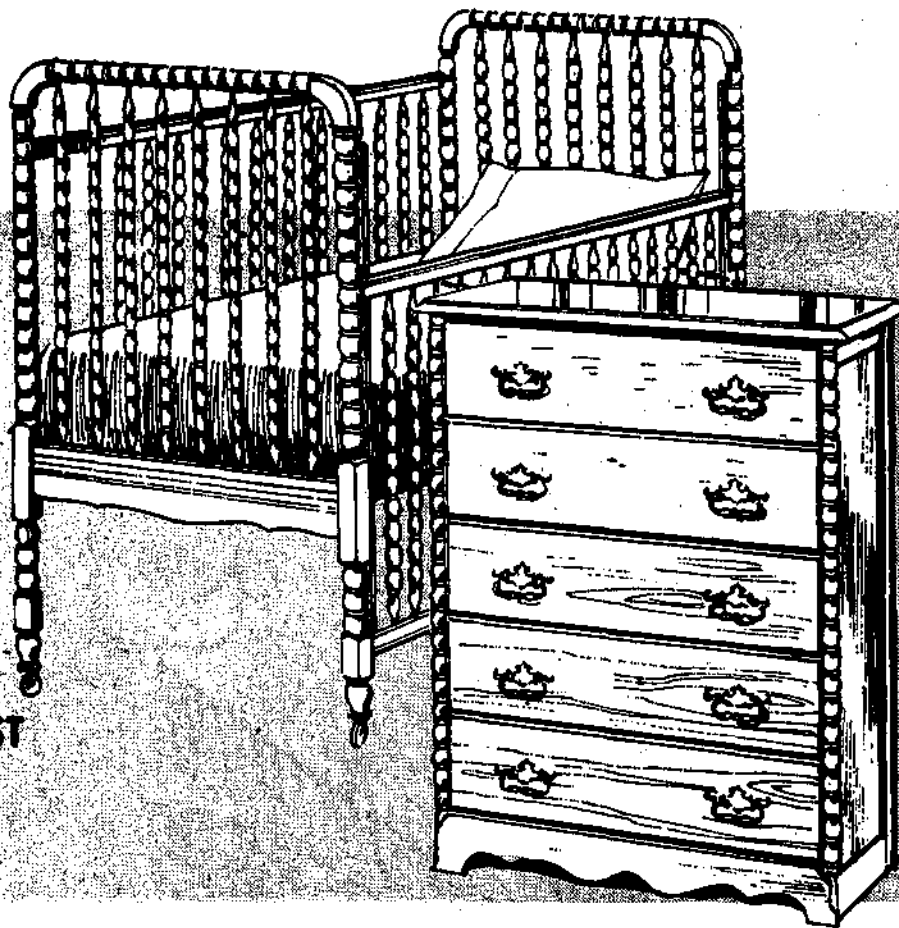
"JENNY LIND" CRIB

A fine piece of furniture for baby: double drop sides, plus plastic teething rails. Reg. \$109.97.

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"JENNY LIND" CHEST

Concord maple finish to match the crib; 5 drawers, constructed to be dustproof. Reg. \$109.97.



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"CHILDLINE" CRIB

Choose white or walnut finish; double drop sides, teething rail & stabilizing bars; reg. \$69.97.

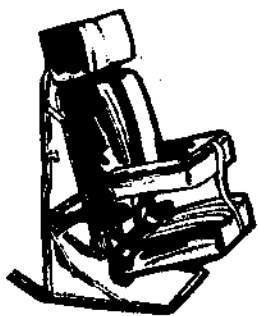


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SIMMONS 88 COIL BABY CRIB MATTRESS

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BABY DRI 204 COIL BABY CRIB MATTRESS



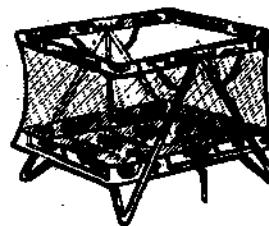
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KANTWET CAR SEAT
features a woven harness with quick release mechanism; reg. \$16.97.



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COSCO HIGHCHAIR
has extra-hi backrest; converts to a youth chair; reg. \$27.97.



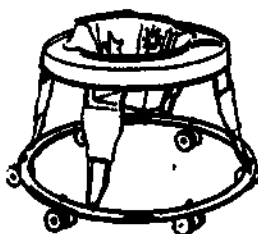
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JACKSON PLAYPEN
folds to store; center leg support under washable pad; reg. \$19.87.



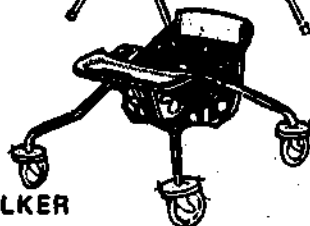
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HEDSTROM STROLLER
has swivel wheels & a safety brake for easy handling; reg. \$19.87.



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SWYNGOMATIC WALKER
is a circular molded base with 6 wheels; has play tray; reg. \$12.97.



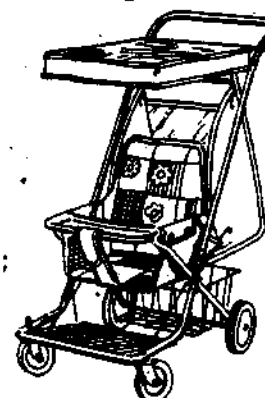
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PETERSON WALKER
is a jumper too; has bumper guards & play tray; reg. \$8.87.



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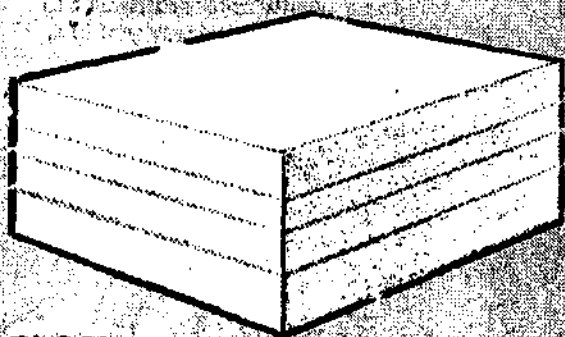
PADDED PLAY PEN
has double drop sides and center support leg; 40x40"; reg. \$32.87.



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PETERSON STROLLER
features swivel wheels, storm shield, and reclining back; reg. \$26.87.

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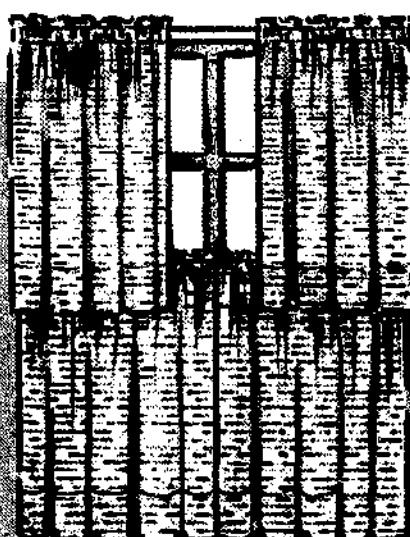
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FOAM SALE

30 x 76 x 2" HIGH DENSITY FOAM SLAB

36 x 76 x 2" Twin Bed Slab.....	\$6.47
44 x 76 x 2" Station Wagon Slab.....	\$8.97
54 x 76 x 2" Full Bed Slab.....	\$7.47
54 x 76 x 4" Camper or Bunk Slab.....	\$7.97
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44 x 76 x 4" Station Wagon Slab.....	\$11.97
54 x 76 x 4" Full Bed Slab.....	\$14.97

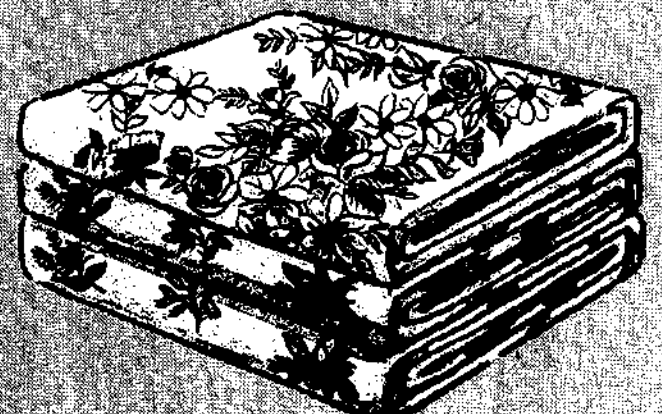
Not All Sizes at All Stores



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DOUBLE TIER PANELS

All polyester ties in gold, green, maroon or white; 8" bottom hems; reg. \$2.87.
36" Tier Panel, Reg. \$3.47.....\$2.46
Valleys, Reg. \$7.27.....\$1.66
42 x 63" Panel, Reg. \$2.77.....\$2.22
42 x 81" Panel, Reg. \$3.27.....\$2.66



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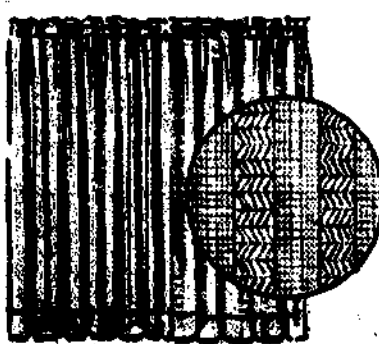
REVERSIBLE ROSE PRINT SHEETS

Tastemaker brings you the two pattern sheet ensemble; reg. \$3.69.
Full Size, Reg. \$4.89.....2/\$7.00
Queen Size, Reg. \$7.29.....2/\$12.00
2 Pack Cases, Reg. \$3.54.....\$3.00



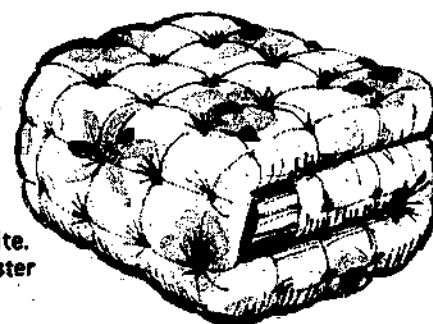
67¢

ORLON SAYELLE YARN
is a 4 ply strand worsted weight yarn; 4 oz. pull skein, regularly \$1.11.



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LATTICE CURTAINS
come in 3 colors and white. 60 x 81" textured polyester panels, regularly \$4.27.



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72 x 84" Reg. \$9.97

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80 x 90" Reg. \$12.88

COMFORTERS by Heritage are plump, cozy and warm; several patterns and colors to choose from.

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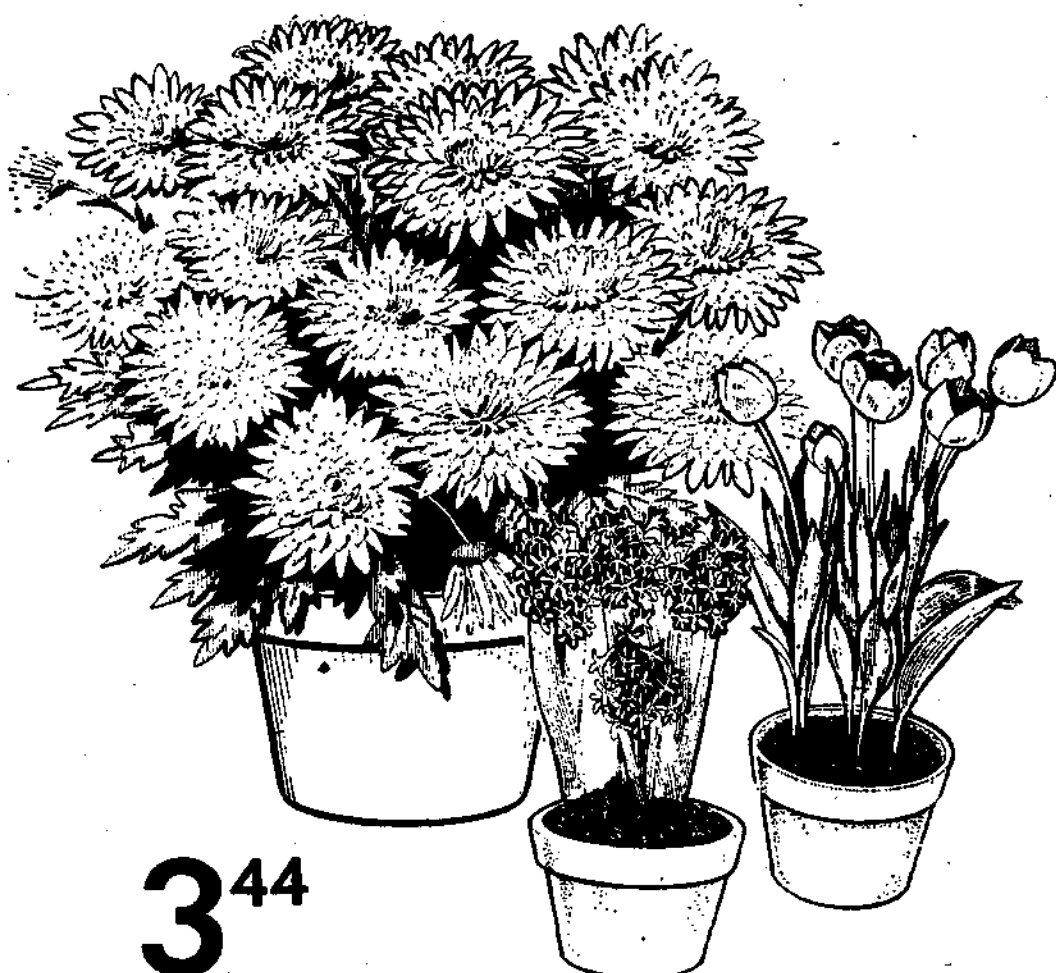
BERNARD 26" FLOOR TERRARIUM
is made of durable glass. Just add
with your favorite indoor plants to
create a personal oasis in your
home. Save, too! Reg. \$15.99

Bernard 18" Floor Terrarium.....\$8.99

99¢
24" CERAMIC HANGING POT
WITH SAUCER

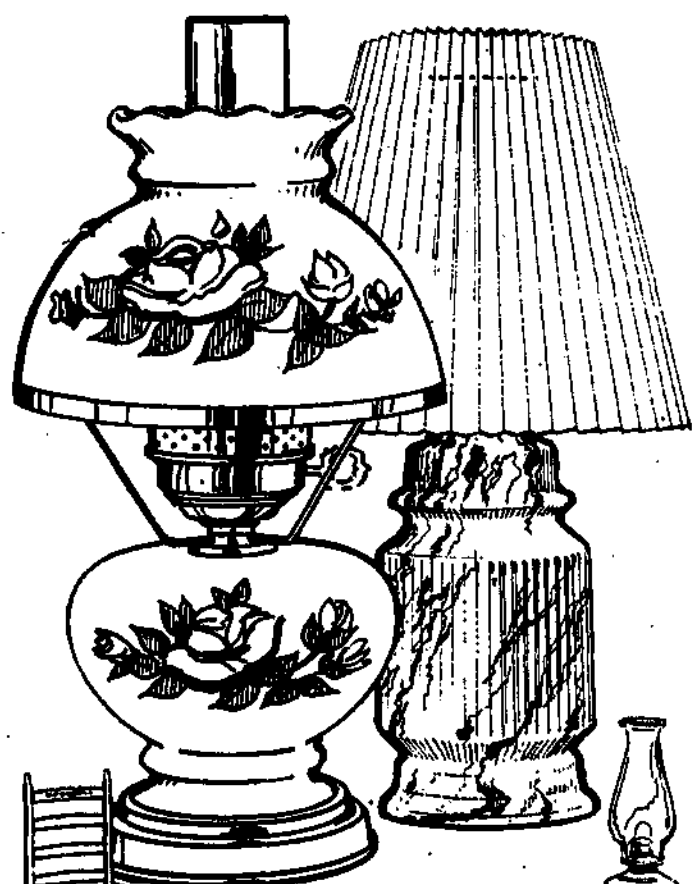
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WATER MISTER AND
A GARDEN TOTE

4⁹⁹
55" BATTEN
HANGING BASKETS



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BLOOMING PLANTS for every valentine on your list. Choose from
many beautiful varieties, including such favorites as mums, tulips,
and hyacinths. A thoughtful gift!



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Special Purchase
YOUR CHOICE LAMP for
Valentine's Day. 17" hand-
painted hurricane or 18"
marble textured spice jar
with pleated shade.



15⁴⁴ - 19⁸⁸

COPPER FINISH WALL SCULPTURES fit any decor. Large
assortment of sizes and subjects, all with excellent detailing, make
them ideal in any room. Reg. \$22.88-\$24.97

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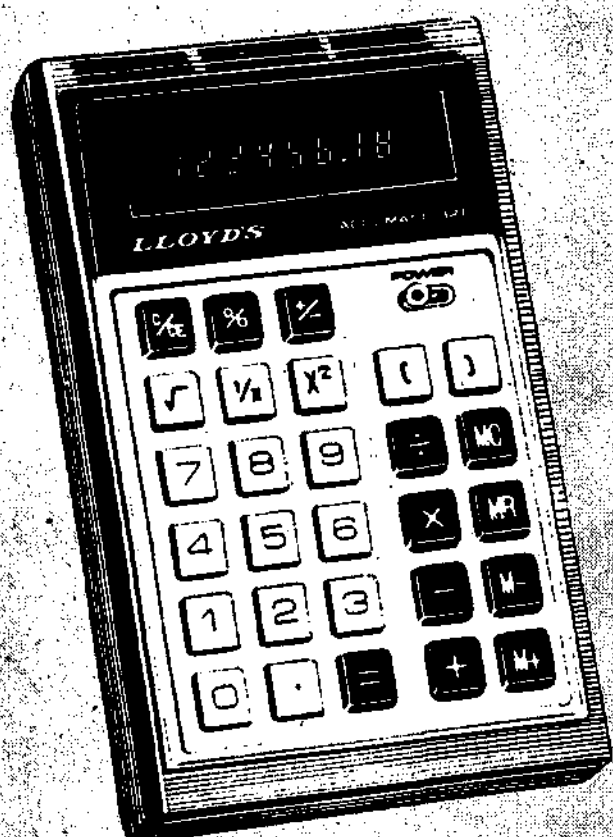
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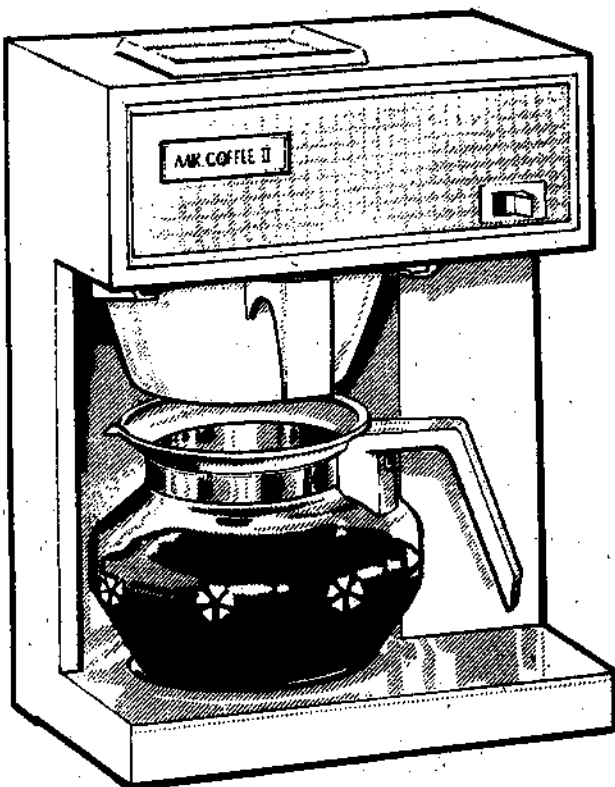
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18⁸⁸ LLOYDS E321 MEMORY
SLIDE RULE CALCULATOR
Large 8-digit digitron display on this
10 function model with memory; separate
keys for percent, squares & reciprocals.

- Parenthesis allows the entering of complex algebraic expressions.
- Automatic constant
- Floating decimal
- Fully addressable memory with 4 direct access keys.



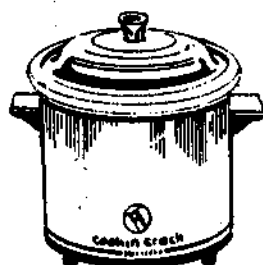
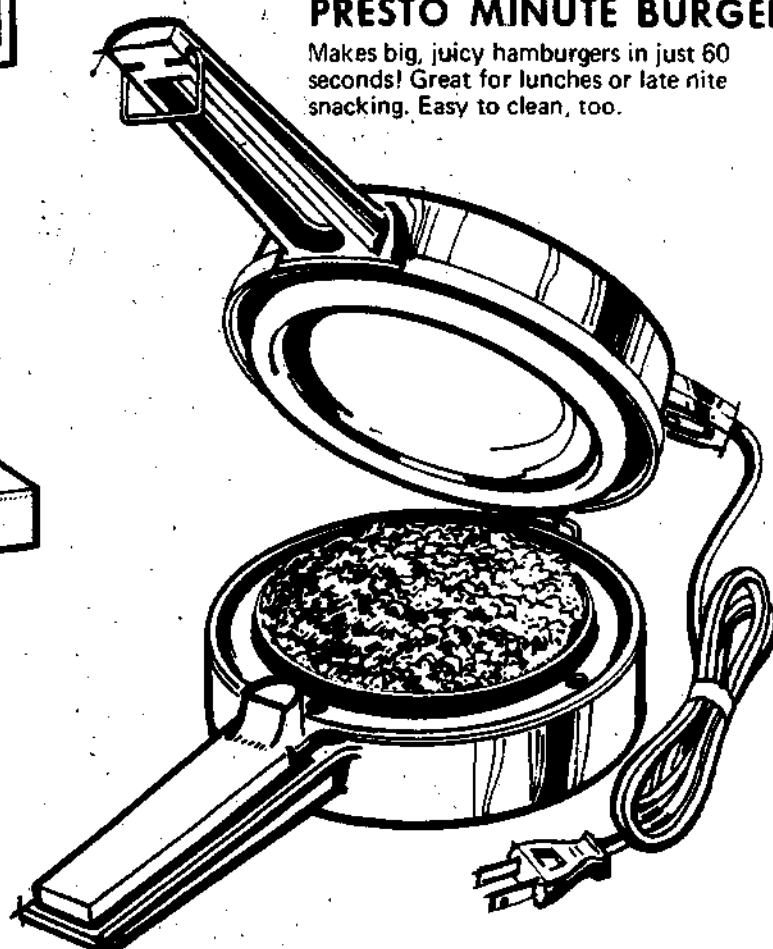
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MR. COFFEE II

Completely new dual switch permits separate warming and brewing action. Makes 50 oz. of perfect coffee in minutes! Genuine Mr. Coffee filters available.

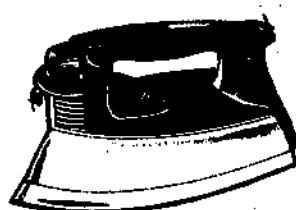
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PRESTO MINUTE BURGER

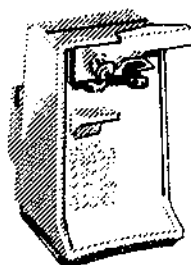
Makes big, juicy hamburgers in just 60 seconds! Great for lunches or late nite snacking. Easy to clean, too.



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WESTWOOD "COOKIN" CROCK
"Cookin' Crock" has a large 3 1/2 qt. capacity. Locks in flavor while retaining vitamins.



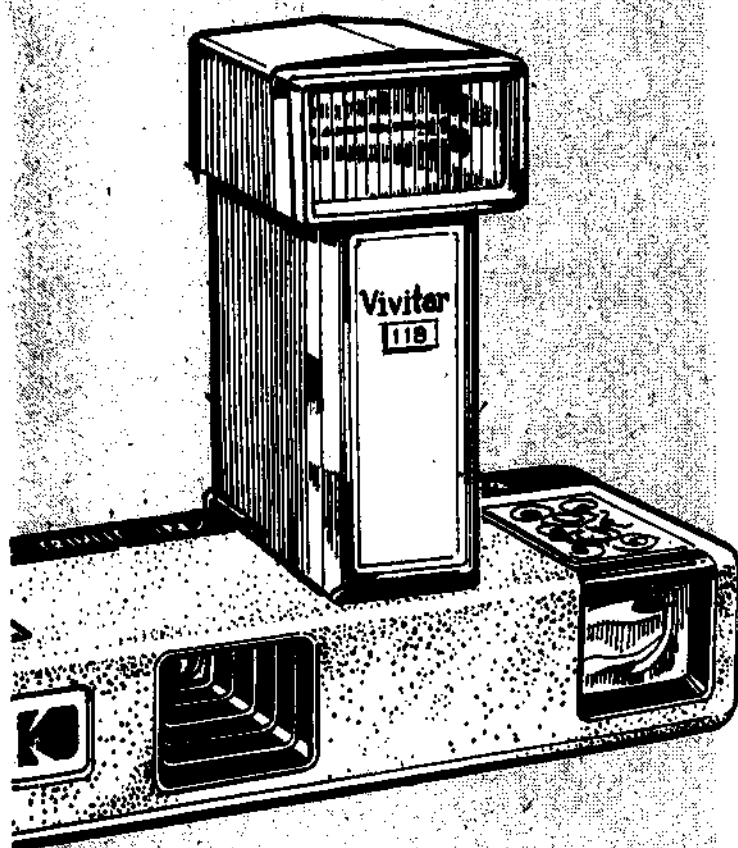
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PROCTOR STEAM AND DRY IRON
Steam and dry makes wrinkles disappear fast! Mirror finish sole plate.



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HAMILTON BEACH CAN-OPENER/KNIFE SHARPENER
Has magnetic lid lifter. Easy to clean.

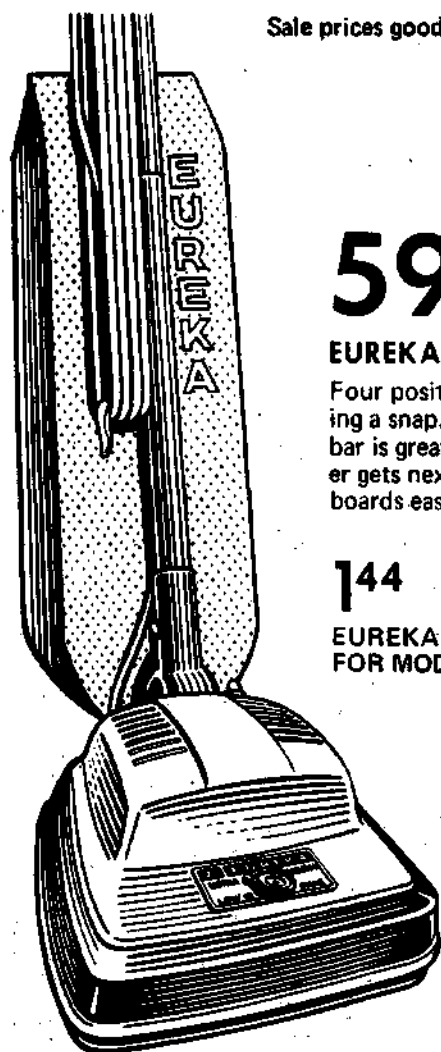


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OSTER CYCLE BLEND 10 SPEED BLENDER
Features a glass, 48 oz. container. Great buy!



15⁷⁶ NEW VIVITAR STROBE
An electronic flash for Kodak Trimlite cameras; never buy a flash bulb again! Reg. \$17.97.
KODAK TRIMLITE CAMERA CASE.....\$3.98

19⁷⁶ KODAK TRIMLITE INSTAMATIC 18 OUTFIT
A light little camera plus film, strap, monograms and flip flash. Regularly \$22.78.
KODAK TRIMLITE 28 CAMERA KIT.....\$44.78
KODAK TRIMLITE 38 CAMERA KIT.....\$53.76



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EUREKA UPRIGHT VAC

Four position dial makes cleaning a snap. Power driven beater bar is great for shags. Edge cleaner gets next to walls and baseboards easily.

1⁴⁴
EUREKA UPRIGHT BAG FOR MODEL 1416A

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SPONGE MOP BY O'CEDAR

39^c
JUMBO 12 PAK ASSORTED SPONGES

1⁶⁶
JOHNSON 32 OZ. STEP SAVER

2 for 1⁰⁰
HANDI-WIPES 10 PACK

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RUBBERMAID 13 1/2 QT. BUCKET

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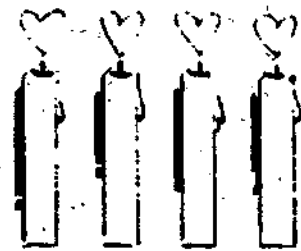
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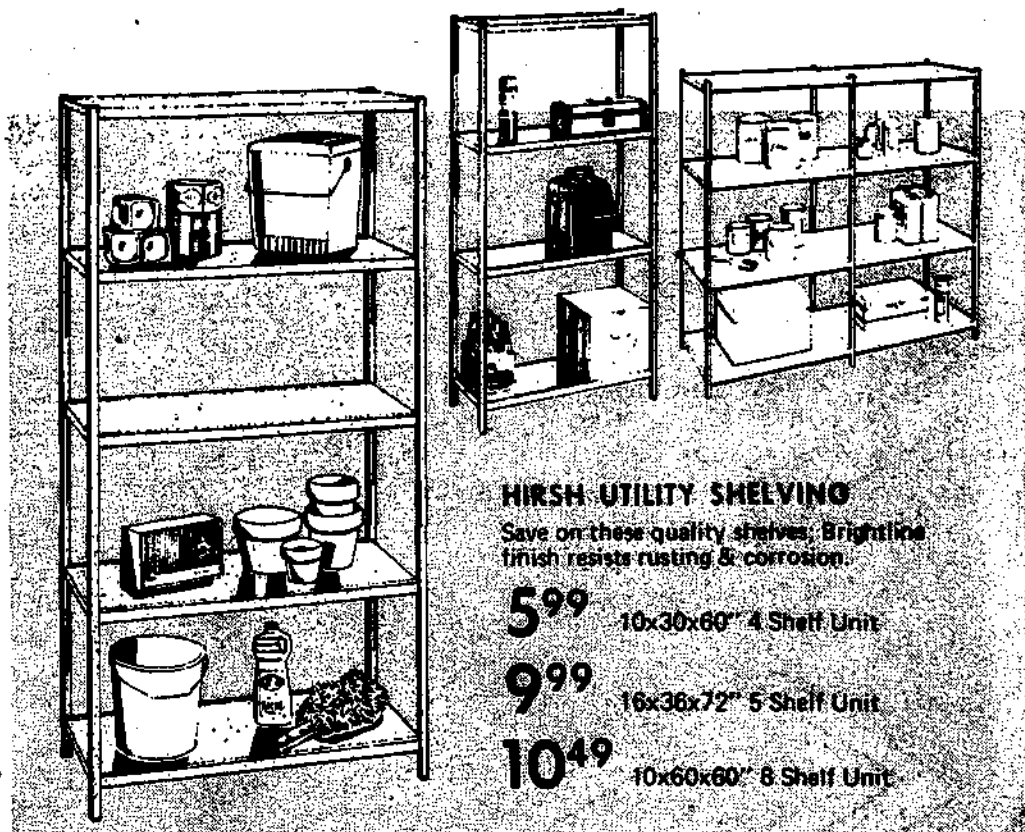
3 1/2 H.P. PUSH MOWER

Powerful Briggs & Stratton engine plus a full 22 inch cutting width makes this a special buy; fingertip height adjusters, folding handle and grass catcher are outstanding features.

Includes our regular
\$16.95 grass catcher

10⁰⁰

HOLDS TILL
MAY 1st



WIRE UTILITY SHELVING

Save on these quality shelves. Brightline finish resists rusting & corrosion.

5⁹⁹

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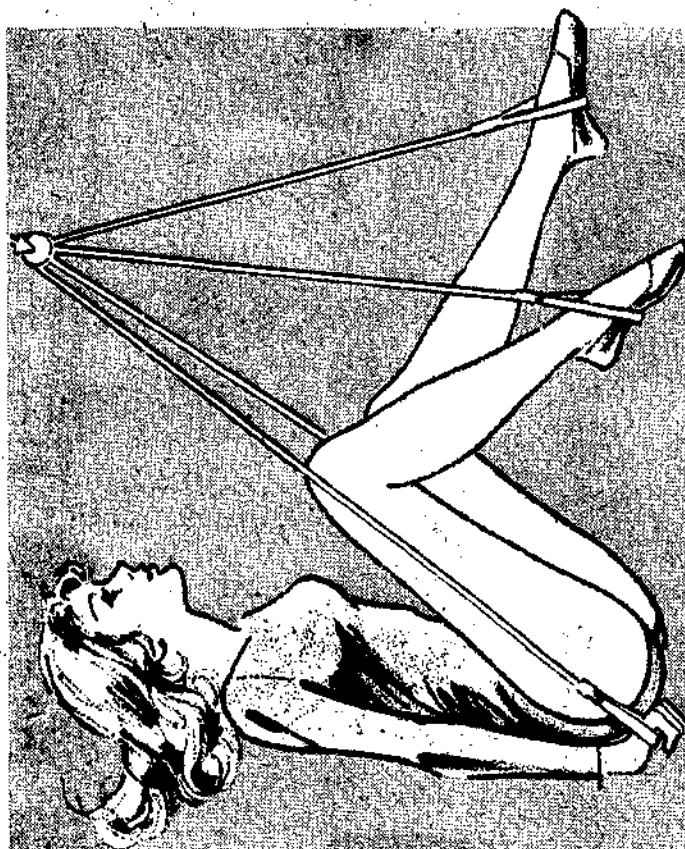
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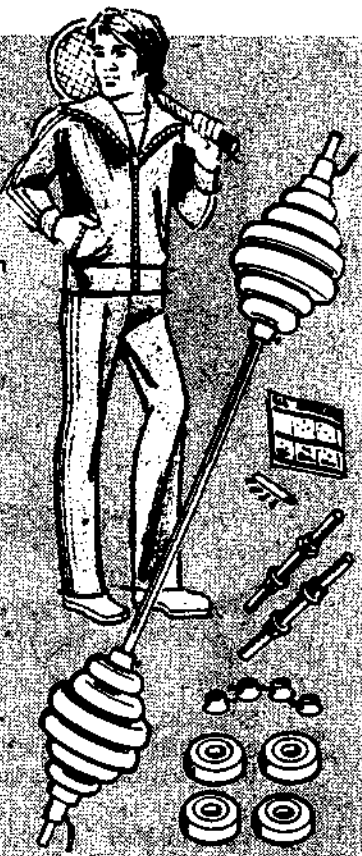
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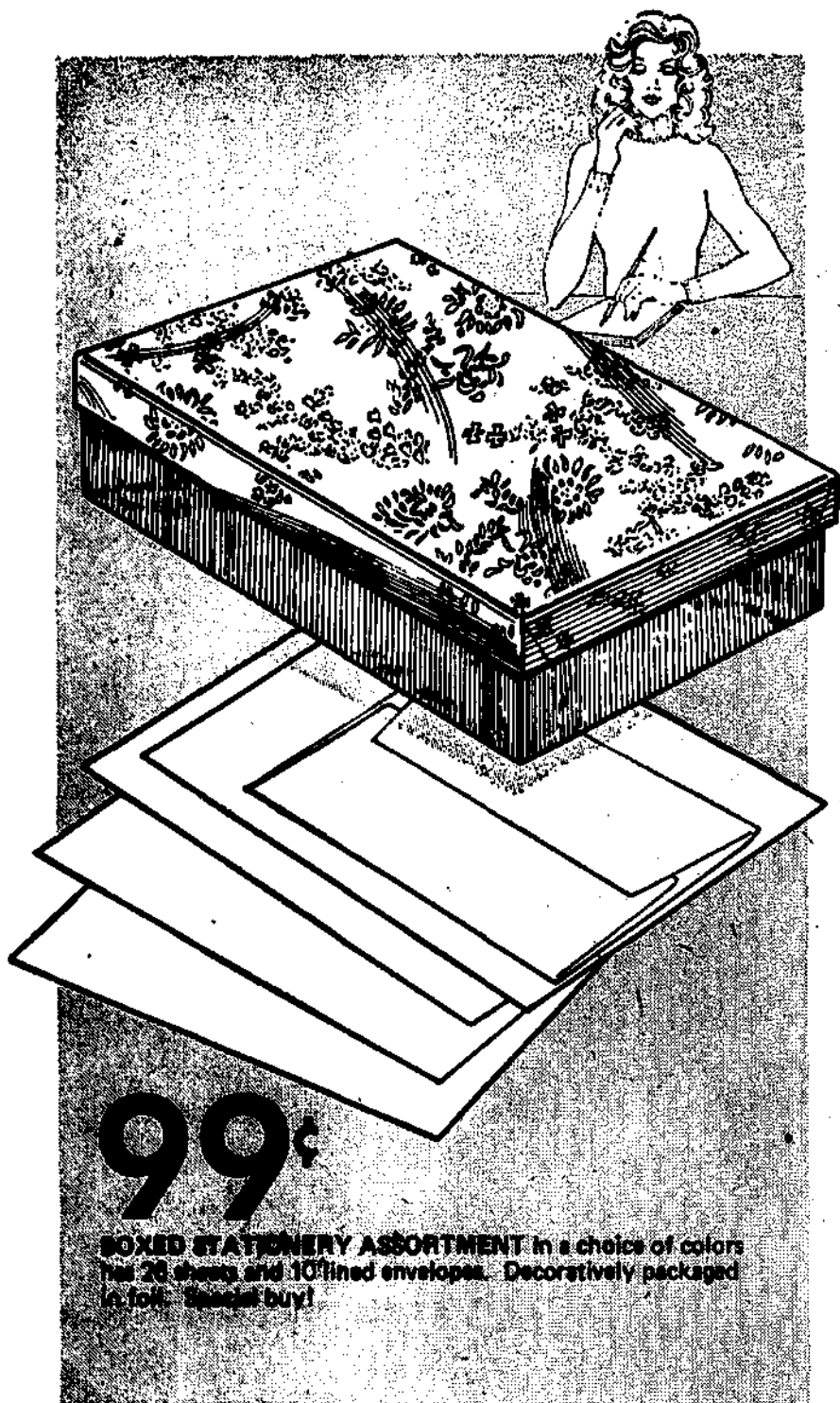
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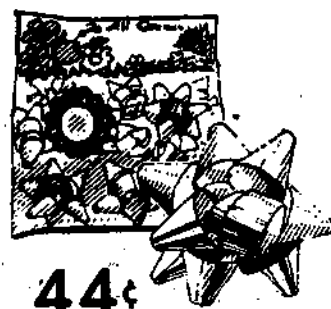
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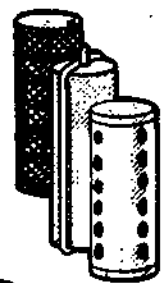
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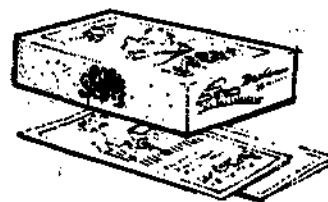
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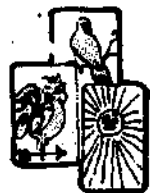
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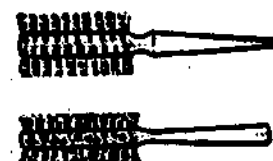
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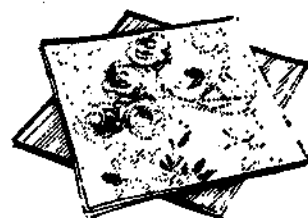
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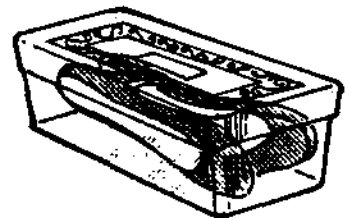
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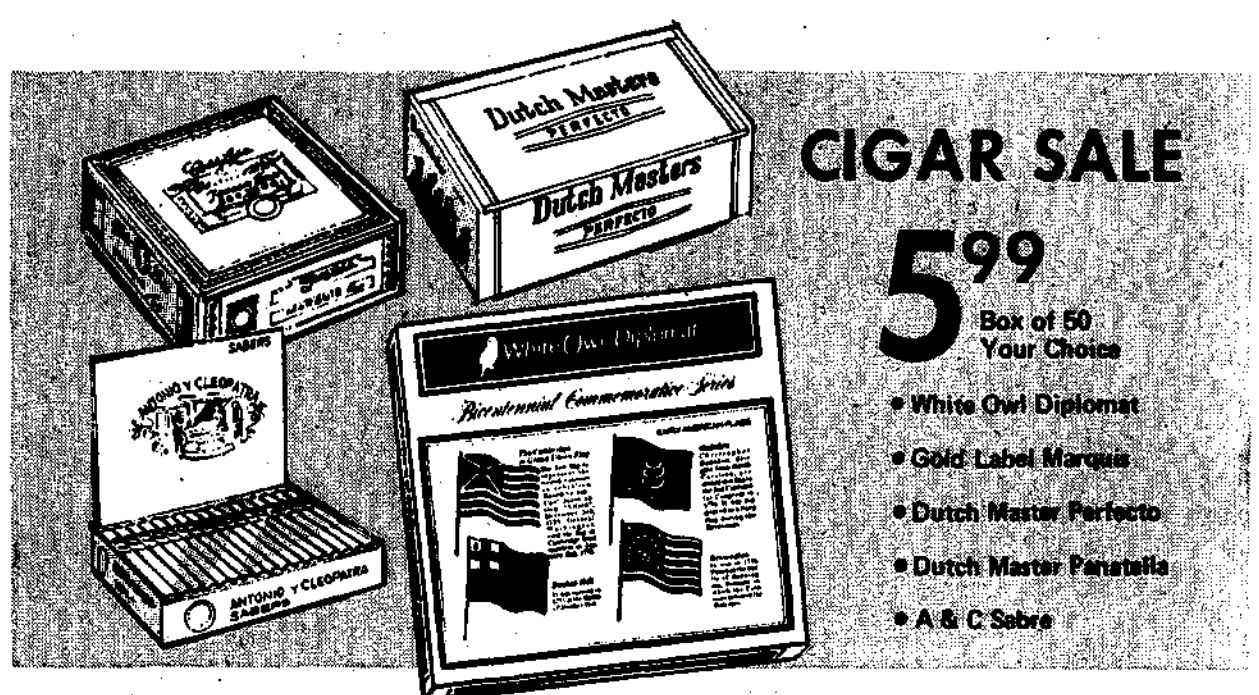


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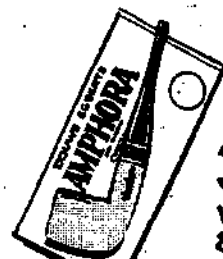
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Howlett puts self into new controversy

by STEVE BROWN
Aides to embattled Sec. of State Michael J. Howlett told The Herald Tuesday that the Democratic gubernatorial candidate ignored advice against lumping his income disclosures with the announcement he was quitting his \$15,000-a-year outside job.

The outcome was that Howlett has opened a new controversy with the disclosure he declared \$100,000 in campaign contributions as personal income in 1974 even though the government does not consider campaign funds as taxable income.

Howlett was attempting to "clear the air" over his job with the Sun Steel Co. during a press conference at the Bismarck Hotel, but much of the questioning surrounded Howlett's tax returns.

While EXPLAINING why he resigned from the \$15,000-a-year consulting post with Sun Steel, Howlett also disclosed his net worth and showed reporters his 1974 income tax returns.

Aides said after the press conference they advised Howlett not to link the two matters together.

According to Internal Revenue Service regulations, politicians are not required to declare campaign contributions as income unless the money was used for personal expenses.



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Taste of spring disappears

Do not prepare your winter coat and galoshes for mothballs quite yet. Spring IS NOT right around the corner.

Isolated cases of flu reported in schools

by KURT BAER

Isolated outbreaks of influenza have hit hard at some area schools.

By Dist. 63 board members

\$1.1 million budget cut endorsed

East Maine District 63 board members Tuesday night informally agreed to nearly \$1.1 million in budget cuts for the 1976-77 school year.

Age class size will be 25 in academic subjects and 32 in physical education. The district expects to save \$214,000.

• Increase lunch charges in the junior high from 55 cents to 65 cents bringing in an additional \$6,000 in revenue. Board members also discussed making lunches more appealing to attract a larger number of students.

Maximum fee for a family would be \$39. Current book fees are \$5.50 for kindergarten, \$8.75 for grades one through six and \$10.50 for junior high.



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Father of four kills wife, shoots self, police report

A Hanover Park man allegedly shot and killed his wife Tuesday, then critically wounded himself in what police said was an apparent murder and attempted suicide.

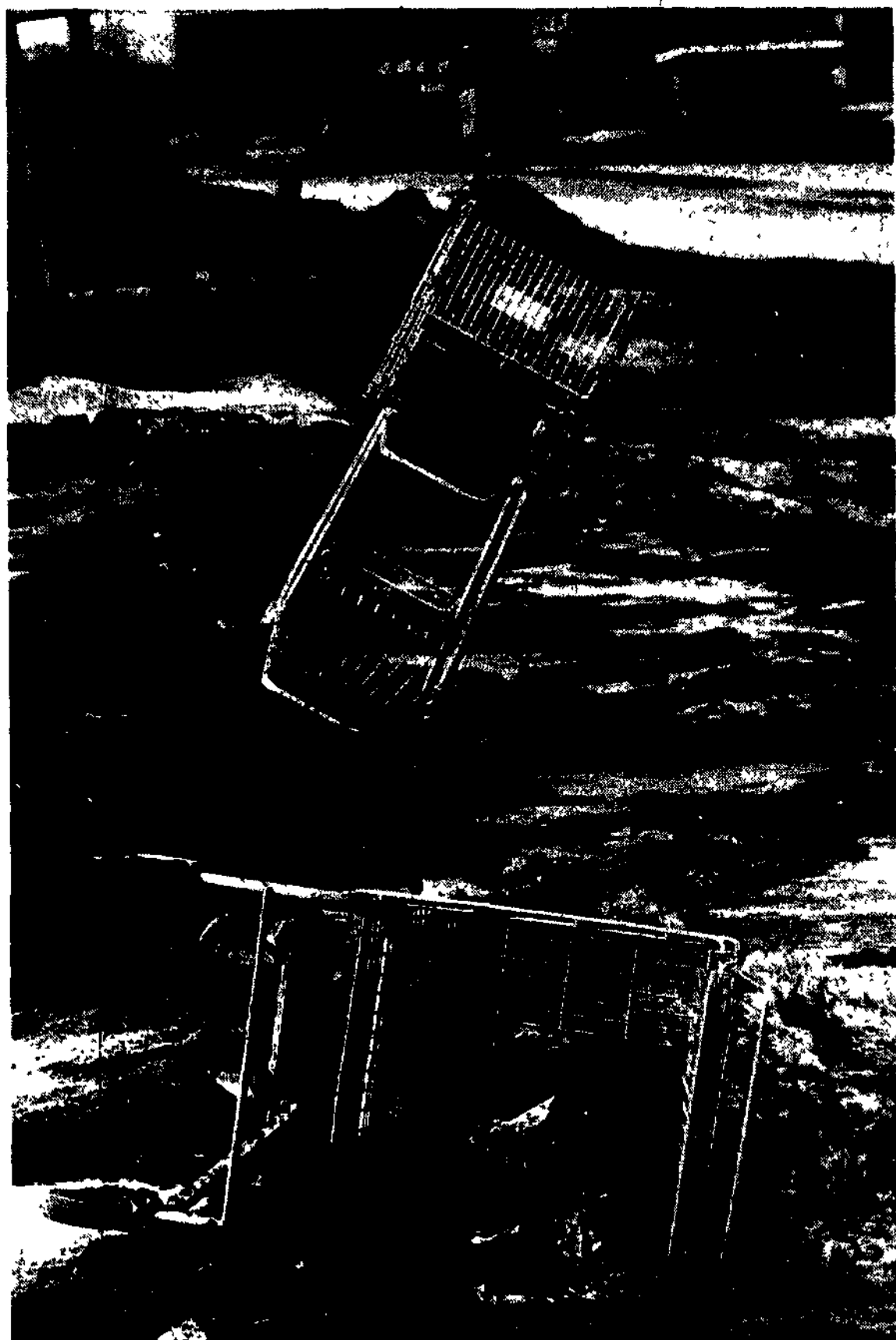
Police said they were called to the Buenger house to investigate a report of a domestic disturbance with shots being fired. The Buengers were found lying in the kitchen of the blevel home by police.

Both Buenger and his wife's wounds were inflicted by the same weapon, a .38-caliber handgun, police said. Two of four Buenger children were in the home at the time of the shootings, and assistant Cook County state's attorneys were questioning them Tuesday night.

Further details about the incident were not available pending investigation by the state's attorney's office.

The Buenger family was aided by Northwest suburbanites in December after the family was included on a list of needy families by Schaumburg Township officials. These families usually receive turkeys and other holiday foodstuffs collected by civic groups.

AREA RESIDENTS offered Christmas trees and presents for the family following a Herald story outlining the family's struggle to make ends meet while living on township general-assistance funds.



STRICKEN SURVIVORS. They were proud shopping carts, clean and shiny. But they were left outside when the winter snows struck. And as the snow melted Tuesday, this is how they looked: not so proud, not so clean, not so shiny... not much more than a bad eyesore.

Consumer agency plan silly: Behrel

Des Plaines Mayor Herbert H. Behrel Tuesday said he thinks a proposal to establish a local or regional consumer protection agency is "silly."

The mayor said at his weekly press conference that he does not think such an agency is needed to supplement county, state and federal consumer groups.

"If they (the city council) want to do it, fine," Behrel said. "If it gets to the floor, I'll vote against it and probably be the only one who does. I just

think it's silly. I don't really think there's a need for one."

IN RECENT weeks, city officials have discussed the possibility of organizing a local consumer agency or joining Niles and six other suburbs in a North Suburban Consumer Protection Agency. The groups would investigate consumer complaints in the member communities.

Ald. Alan Abrams, 8th, chairman of the city council's city code and judiciary committee, said he believes either a local or regional consumer

agency would be more responsive than existing agencies.

The regional consumer group would be similar to a local agency established in Niles five years ago. Niles Village Clerk Frank Wagner is attempting to set up the agency.

In addition to Niles and Des Plaines, officials from Mount Prospect, Glenview, Park Ridge, Skokie, Lincolnwood and Morton Grove have expressed interest in establishing a regional consumer protection agency.

WAGNER SAID the consumer agency in Niles can resolve problems faster than other agencies, and believes a regional agency would have similar success.

"The reason ours is so successful is because it is so localized," he said. "We can handle a complaint in Niles in a few days where it might take another agency weeks and weeks and weeks to do the same thing."

Niles Mayor Nicholas Blase said six or seven suburbs could form an effective agency because most residents shop in nearby communities.

"In a survey we conducted about nine months ago, we found that 90 percent of their (Niles residents) buying is done in the six or seven towns around here," he said.

Wagner said a regional body would be administered by a board of directors from the participating municipalities. The board would set policy, hire a staff and be responsible for the over-all operation of the agency.

Feasibility study planned of private trash pickups

Des Plaines officials Tuesday night decided to study the financial feasibility of hiring private scavenger firms on a trial basis to serve about 4,800 homes on the south and west sides of the city.

The city council's sanitation committee is considering the measure to determine whether private firms can pick up garbage for less money than it costs the city, thus eliminating at least part of a continuing deficit in the city's garbage fund.

The city lost about \$400,000 in 1974, about \$360,000 in 1975, and is expected to lose a comparable amount this year unless changes are made.

ALD. PATRICK Branigan, 4th, committee chairman, said officials are considering private scavengers for only a portion of the city because they want to see how the system works before changing the entire sanitation system.

"We all feel that we don't want to go all the way with a private scavenger at this time," he said.

The plan under consideration by city officials calls for the hiring of two firms, one to pick up garbage from about 2,400 homes on the city's west side and the other to pick up from about 2,400 homes on the south side. The city would consider trash pickups at about 8,500 homes in central Des Plaines.

The scavenger firm hired for west side pickup would serve all homes west of Mount Prospect Road. The south side scavenger would serve the area between Oakton Street and Higgins Road and River Road and Mannheim Road.

The city has received proposals from five scavenger firms whose monthly rates range from \$2.60 to \$4.50 per household for one pickup per week. City residents now pay \$3 a month for one pickup.

CITY OFFICIALS said before they hire the private firms they want to review revenue and cost projections to be sure the city will save money. "We have to be sure we are going to achieve our objective before we can go any further with this," said Ald. Gerald Meyer, 7th.

Joseph Schwab, commissioner of public works, said city officials are considering hiring the private firms on a six month to one year trial basis. He said he hopes the city will hire the firms by May 1.

Schwab said if the city hires two firms for the west and south sides the city would eliminate the need for

three of its nine garbage trucks and six of its 28 sanitation workers. He said, however, five workers are scheduled to retire this year and the sixth would be absorbed by the public works department into another job.

"We wouldn't have to fire anyone," Schwab said. "We have enough work so that wouldn't be necessary."

Dist. 63 discusses

\$1.1 million in cuts

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will only be offered at the junior high level. This will be a savings of \$39,300. Board members favored allowing private music teachers to use school facilities after hours thus providing interested elementary students with available instruction.

- Eliminate one of two curriculum resource teachers at a savings of \$10,000. The resource teachers provide consultant services in various academic areas.

- Reduce custodial staff by seven persons at a savings of \$29,200.

- Eliminate a district subsidy of PTA materials with a savings of \$600. PTAs will be charged for all materials consumed.

- Eliminate free custodial service for PTA meetings held during off duty hours at a savings of \$1,800. PTAs will be charged for custodians not on regular duty.

- Eliminate district subsidy of all cultural arts programs in schools with a savings of \$3,300. Programs will revert to PTA funding.

- Reduce seven secretarial positions, one in the central office, one in each junior and one half in each elementary school for a savings of \$43,000.

Municipal panel to support transfer tax enforcement

The executive board of the Northwest Municipal Conference will recommend that the 16-member group endorse legislation to enforce local real estate transfer taxes.

Executive Director William Muhlenfeld said the legislation will require the county recorder's office to withhold processing real estate transactions until a local tax payment has been verified.

Arlington Heights, Des Plaines and Hoffman Estates all have considered imposing the tax as a new source of revenue, but have dropped plans because they could get no assurance that the recorder's office would enforce the tax.

The tax would be charged to the seller of property. The state imposes a mandatory real estate transfer tax on property sales. Chicago is the only other municipality in the county that imposes a local tax.

LOCAL OFFICIALS have said the only way to enforce payment of the tax is to get cooperation from the recorder of deed's office. Currently, the recorder's office is only legally required to enforce the state tax payment.

Suburban officials have said, however, the recorder also is enforcing the Chicago tax.

"This has been the problem all along. The recorder's office will enforce a real estate transfer tax for Chicago, but not for the Northwest suburbs," Muhlenfeld said.

The board's recommendation is to urge state legislators to enact legislation that would force the recorder's office to honor all real estate transfer taxes, he said.

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Wheeling-Buffalo Grove Dist. 21

Robert James, zoologist, teacher, author and entertainer will bring a monkey, iguana, boa constrictor and other animals when he visits area schools. In his program, James promotes a love for animals, an awareness of their plight and a realistic response to animals from the children.

James will visit two schools in Wheeling today. He will be at Holmes Junior High School, 212 S. Wolf Rd., at 9 a.m. and London Junior High School, 1001 W. Dundee Rd. at 1 p.m.

Students at Cooper Junior High School, 1050 W. Plum Grove Rd., Buffalo Grove will see the program Tuesday at 9 a.m.

Cooper Junior High School's concert winds will be playing 30-minute concerts of marches and popular music Wednesday for six elementary schools. The 45-member ensemble will perform for Alcott, Poe, Kilmer Irving, Riley and Longfellow schools.

Arlington Heights Dist. 25

Each class at Westgate School will make a sheet cake for a school birthday party Friday. The cakes will be assembled and decorated to represent a flag.

Students have been working on a number of Bicentennial projects. One class is planning to serve elk meat at a colonial dinner. Other projects include building a replica of the Mayflower, designing colonial clothing, making a quilt and planting red, white and blue tulips in front of the school. The school is at 1211 W. Grove St., Arlington Heights.

River Trails Dist. 26

A flower arranging demonstration by Mrs. Russell Christensen will highlight Park View School PTA's holiday salad luncheon Saturday at noon at the school, 805 Burning Bush Ln., Mount Prospect.

Mrs. Christensen is a master flower show judge and holds a life membership in the Garden Club of Illinois for her civic beautification projects. Her program will cover Japanese, modern, classical and interpretive flower arrangements.

Tickets are \$2 and sold in advance. For information contact Louise Jacobson, 827-2630.

Mount Prospect Dist. 57

"Children the challenge" will be the topic today at a parent education program at Westbrook School. The 9 a.m. meeting will be held in Room 111 of the school, 103 S. Busse Rd., Mount Prospect.

The Busse School PTA will present a Bicentennial county fair Thursday from 3:30 to 8:30 p.m. at the school, 101 N. Owen St., Mount Prospect.

Games, prizes, auctions, bake goods and entertainment will be featured at the fair. Italian beef and hot dog dinners will be available by advance tickets only.

"Happy Birthday America," a musical review by the St. James Christie Academy, will be presented Friday at Busse School, 101 N. Owen St., Mount Prospect. The public is invited to attend the 1:30 p.m. performance.

Saint James School

Chicago Bulls player Jerry Sloan and Doug Buffone of the Chicago Bears will be guests at St. James School's sports night Friday. The event will be held in the Parish Center, 820 N. Arlington Heights Rd., Arlington Heights and is sponsored by the school's Parents Club.

The St. James' varsity basketball team and cheerleading squad recently were awarded the sportsmanship trophy at the St. Viator High School holiday basketball tournament.

St. Peter Lutheran School

Dr. Emanuel Cheraskin will discuss preventive medicine and nutrition at the Parent-Teacher Assn. of St. Peter Lutheran School Friday.

Dr. Cheraskin, chairman of the department of oral medicine at the University of Alabama, is the co-author of a Psycholectics, Foods, The Key to Emotional Health.

The program at the school, 111 W. Olive St., Arlington Heights, will begin at 8 p.m. and admission is free. The program is open to all.

St. Thomas of Villanova

The community is invited to a bingo party Friday at St. Thomas of Villanova School. Doors will open at 7 p.m. and games will start at 7:30 in the Parish hall, 1141 E. Anderson Pl., Palatine.

Sacred Heart High School

A make-up placement test for prospective students will be held at Sacred Heart of Mary High School in Rolling Meadows at 8:30 a.m. Saturday.

All eighth grade girls in the area, who missed the January test, are invited to attend. Each girl is asked to bring two No. 2 pencils and a \$5 testing fee to the school.

A program explaining the freshman curriculum will be presented to prospective students and their parents in March. An appointment may be made at that time with a staff member to set up individual course selection.

High School Dist. 207

The Maine West High School music department will present its annual midwinter band concert Sunday at 3 p.m. in the school auditorium, 1755 S. Wolf Rd., Des Plaines. Admission is \$1 for adults and 75 cents for students. Golden Agers and Music Boosters cards will serve as admission passes.

The concert will feature the combined cadet and intermediate bands and the jazz and concert bands.

High School Dist. 214

The Choral League of Wheeling High School will serve an "all you can eat" spaghetti dinner Sunday from noon to 5 p.m. in the school cafeteria, 900 S. Elmhurst Rd., Wheeling.

A \$2 donation is asked for adults. Children under 6 years old are free.

For information call Jo Lang, 537-1050, or JoAnne Jenkins, 537-8703.

"Kid Stuff," a program of magic acts, escape artist, clowns, games and skits will be presented Saturday by Hersey High School's Magic Club. The program will be from 12:30 to 2:30 p.m. in the school's Little Theater, 1900 E. Thomas Ave., Arlington Heights.

Tickets at 75 cents will go on sale 45 minutes before showtime at the door, or can be purchased in advance in Room 131 at the high school.

Proceeds from the program will be used to purchase materials and supplies for use in the school's math and science resource center.

Legislative allocation stands: judge

Walker wins in school aid suit

by KATHERINE BOYCE

Gov. Daniel Walker has won the first round in his suit against the Illinois Board of Education to prevent the board from paying schools more state aid per month than appropriated by the legislature.

Sangamon County Circuit Court Judge Waldo Acherman ruled in favor of the governor Tuesday. Julia Dempsey, attorney for the state board, said she will now take the case to the Illinois Appellate Court in Sangamon County.

In November, the state board voted to distribute monthly state aid to schools in an amount equal to one-twelfth of the annual amount schools are entitled to under the current state aid formula.

WALKER CUT the legislature's school appropriations by \$81 million last summer. He has since insisted the state board distribute monthly aid in an amount equal to one-twelfth the annual sum based on the reduced appropriation. When the state board re-

fused to comply, the Governor went to court.

The judge chose a "literal reading" of the statute on state aid disbursements, said Dempsey, and would not consider past practices. For several years the state has disbursed aid according to the formula rather than the appropriation.

A bill that would have clarified the state board's power to distribute aid according to the formula died in the legislature last year. The judge ruled the matter of state aid disbursement was "more clearly" in the realm of the legislature, said Dempsey, but the judge also left the state board with the option of taking the case to the Illinois Supreme Court.

If state aid is prorated according to the formula rather than the appropriation, schools would receive an additional \$2.5 million in state funds per month, but funds would run out before the end of the fiscal year.

THE STATE's last payment in June would be cut between \$60 and \$70 million if the legislature does not pass a supplemental appropriation next spring.

Last month the state board gave tentative approval to its proposed education budget, which included a request for a \$100 million supplemental appropriation from the Illinois General Assembly this spring.

Walker has opposed the request saying the state has no additional money for schools this year.

Howlett propels himself into another controversy

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list of itemized deductions which Howlett claimed for the year.

THE TAX SITUATIONS marked the second controversy Howlett has started himself in the past two weeks.

Howlett told reporters he has resigned from the Sun Steel post, the firm which paid him \$225,000 since 1960, because "I do not wish to permit the campaign for governor to be diverted from the real issues."

While Howlett announced he resigned from the post, he was quick to point out that he does not believe the situation represents a conflict of interest. He said Sun Steel and the M.S. Kaplan Co. Inc., which owns 55 percent of Sun Steel, never did any business with state.

He said he performed labor and sales consulting for the company during the period he served as state auditor and later as secretary of state.

HOWLETT SAID he did not seek any clients for the company after he was elected to public office. He also said to the best of his knowledge none of the clients he advised Sun Steel on did business with the state. Howlett declined to name the sales clients.

Howlett called the campaign and income disclosures "a key issue in the campaign."

He also criticized Walker for not releasing the contributors to his 1972 campaign.

Walker aides revealed early Tuesday Walker would make the contributors list public soon.

"Gov. Walker and his people would have you believe there is a question when I receive \$15,000 from a company which does no business whatsoever with the state. But they do not believe there is a conflict when Dan Walker asks for and gets \$2 million from people doing business with agencies he controls."

Howlett also released a statement which reported his net worth at \$78,500, including \$29,000 in state pension funds, \$26,000 in life insurance and \$12,000 equity in a house in Long Beach, Ind. He also revealed he lost \$8,000 on the sale of a home in Chicago in 1975.

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By Marshall Olsen

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Father kills wife, shoots self: police

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been nights I have cried. It hurts down deep."

At Christmas, Mrs. Buenger thought she would not have enough money to buy any gifts for the children, but after a Herald story, residents from throughout the Northwest suburbs called with promises for presents.

SHE HAD SAID she thought the financial turnaround was bringing the family closer together and things were no longer taken for granted as they had in the past.

Mrs. Buenger id find a job recently and worked nights as a waitress at a nearby restaurant.

Authorities said if they did not find relatives in the area, the Buenger's four children, ranging from third grade to a sophomore in high school, would be turned over to the Illinois Dept. of Children and Family Services.

\$44,800 collected by Community Chest

The Des Plaines Community Chest has raised \$44,800, \$3,200 short of its 1975-76 goal. The drive will continue until the goal is reached.

The fund drive which will benefit 13 local organizations, is being conducted in conjunction with the annual Crusade of Mercy campaign.

Donations to the drive should be mailed to the Des Plaines Community Chest Inc., P.O. Box 204, Des Plaines 60017.

The drive raised \$48,551 last year, about \$2,800 more than its goal.

Organizations to benefit from the drive are: The Salvation Army; Service Unit and Community Counseling Service; Des Plaines Girl Scouts; Boy Scouts and Camp Fire Girls; Clearbrook Center; Northwest Suburban YMCA; and USO Inc.

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Howlett puts self into new controversy

by STEVE BROWN
Aides to embattled Sec. of State Michael J. Howlett told The Herald Tuesday that the Democratic gubernatorial candidate ignored advice against lumping his income disclosures with the announcement he was quitting his \$15,000-a-year outside job.
The outcome was that Howlett has opened a new controversy with the disclosure he declared \$100,000 in campaign contributions as personal income in 1974 even though the government does not consider campaign funds as taxable income.
Howlett was attempting to "clear the air" over his job with the Sun Steel Co. during a press conference at the Blamarck Hotel, but much of the questioning surrounded Howlett's tax returns.
WHILE EXPLAINING why he resigned from the \$15,000-a-year consulting post with Sun Steel, Howlett also disclosed his net worth and showed reporters his 1974 income tax returns.

Aides said after the press conference they advised Howlett not to link the two matters together.
"I think it cleared the air, but it looks like it opened a whole new can of worms," one adviser said.
At issue was Howlett's 1974 income tax return which included \$100,000 he received as campaign contributions. Howlett declared the contributions as personal income. He said he was advised by Chicago lawyer Harold Bernstein to declare the contributions as personal income.
ACCORDING TO Internal Revenue Service regulations, politicians are not required to declare campaign contributions as income unless the money was used for personal expenses.
"I used the \$100,000 to pay back taxes, I did not use it for personal expenses. My tax counsel advised me to pay the taxes, it did not have anything to do with the IRS. It was put into the campaign fund. All I did was what my tax counsel told me to do," Howlett said.
Howlett said he used \$75,000 of the

amount to repay a loan he made during his 1972 campaign for secretary of state. Howlett said he borrowed the money from Nationwide Acceptance Corp.
He said the remaining \$25,000 was used to pay taxes on the loan, retire other debts and subsequent political opportunities.
HOWLETT DECLINED to offer any specifics on how the \$100,000 was used.
"I have made the greatest disclosure ever made by any public official," Howlett said.
Howlett said he will disclose his 1972 campaign contributions in the near future.
He did produce a list of persons who purchased tickets to fund-raising events in Chicago and Springfield in 1974. The money raised in the events was used to pay off the loans, Howlett said.
The 1974 tax return Howlett allowed reporters to review did not include the
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Taste of spring disappears

Do not prepare your winter coat and galoshes for mothballs quite yet. Spring IS NOT right around the corner.
Following an official high of 60 degrees Tuesday, the U. S. Weather Service forecast high temperatures in the lower 30s today with north winds gusting between 10 and 15 miles per hour.
Tuesday's mid-afternoon forecast said the Chicago area would be under a partly cloudy sky today but with very little chance of measurable precipitation.
Temperatures will drop into the upper teens or lower 20s tonight, then remain cold and dry on Thursday.
The Weather Service forecast no measurable amount of precipitation until Friday when, a spokesman said, it would probably be a light shower.
Tuesday's 60-degree high fell three degrees short of the Chicago area record set Feb. 10, 1876.

Isolated cases of flu reported in schools

by KURT BAER
Isolated outbreaks of influenza have hit hard at some area schools.
Health officials, however, still say they are hoping this winter will wind up as one of the mildest flu seasons in recent years.
St. Stephen School, Des Plaines, was closed Tuesday with eight of the school's 14 teachers and 70 of 318 students reported out with the flu.
Prospect Heights Dist. 23 also reported numerous flu-related absences.
"There are many, many children and some teachers out because of the flu," said Carol Weinberg, one of two nurses in Dist. 23. From a total enrollment of 1,706 students, 137 elementary children and 48 junior high school students were absent Tuesday. Ten of the district's 93 teachers also were reported sick.
"There seems to be two kinds of flu. The first makes the person much sicker — fever, cough and sore throat. The second, a stomach flu, seems to be of shorter duration. Some children have had both," Mrs. Weinberg said.
Jill Barthel, supervisory nurse for Elk Grove Township Dist. 39, reported a number of flu-like illnesses in district schools.
"We usually have a period when we have a number of students absent because of high fevers or flu. We seem to be going through
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Proposal wins tentative OK History unit, parks merger seen

Wheeling Park District and Wheeling Historical Society officials Tuesday tentatively agreed to a merger of the two groups.
The merger allows the park district to levy a nonreferendum museum tax of up to 1.5 cents per \$100 assessed valuation on behalf of the historical society. The tax funds will be used to develop the historical museum and related projects.
Park and historical society officials agreed the society will become an advisory body to the park board. Museum tax funds collected by the park

district will be allocated on the basis of recommendations from the historical society, but only with final approval of the park board.
LORRAINE LARK, PARK board president, said the merger could bring the park district up to \$15,000 in museum tax funds.
"We as a taxing group will have more funds to work with to preserve history in the community," she said.
Mrs. Lark said the merger will allow the society to spend more time documenting the history of the village because the park board will take over

maintenance of museum property.
"I think this is a good package," she said.
The park board agreed the historical society will remain a separate entity from the park district except for yearly budget and program reviews. The society will retain control of any money raised from outside fund-raising projects.
THE HISTORICAL SOCIETY made several recommendations for the use of the museum tax funds, including restoration of the recently-purchased Childerly Retreat House. If affiliation

takes place, the park district could levy the tax in September and have funds available after June 1977.
The society's suggestions for the Childerly property included restoration of the chapel and log cabin, preservation of the meadow land and use of a back building for a historical education program.
Mrs. Lark said the property will become "the historical, recreational and educational focal point of this community."
The park board will ask park district Atty. Roger Bjorvik to prepare a consolidation agreement for the April 15 park board meeting. The historical society is expected to review the agreement at its March 24 meeting.
Several neighboring park districts, including those in Palatine, Elk Grove Village, and Buffalo Grove, have similar agreements with village historical societies.

Appeal airport ills to FAA: Hamer

Wheeling officials have been advised to ask the Federal Aviation Administration to enforce safety regulations at Pal-Waukee Airport.
Atty. Paul Hamer, who has represented the village in an eight-year legal battle with the airport over safety procedures, made his recommendation in a letter to the board. The village contends the length of runways and the size of some aircraft using them pose a threat to the safety of residents living near the airport.
Wheeling unsuccessfully has maintained since the outset of litigation that it has the right to control runways and aircraft weight because of zoning agreements made when the runways were extended in 1963. The Illinois supreme court last month upheld two earlier court decisions that said the FAA is the only agency with the authority to govern airport operations.
HAMER SAID THE "village should seek to have the FAA enforce their safety regulations at the airport, which would automatically reduce the length of the runway. This, in turn, would limit the size of the aircraft using the field."
Hamer said the village should file suit against the FAA if that agency "refuses to enforce their safety regulations."

Apparently runways at Pal-Waukee do not conform to some government regulations, although the extent of

problems is not known.
U. S. Rep. Jack Brooks, D-Tex., a
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TALK TO THE ANIMALS. Zoologist Robert James has been taking his menagerie to a number of schools in Wheeling-Elk Grove Dist. 21 this week, showing youngsters that monkeys, boa constrictors and even spiders can be friendly creatures.



James shows Hawthorne School students Marci Smith and Pamela Zitzewitz the scaly texture of the boa constrictor's skin. And who said snakes are slimy?

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Father of four kills wife, shoots self, police report

A Hanover Park man allegedly shot and killed his wife Tuesday, then critically wounded himself in what police said was an apparent murder and attempted suicide.
The incident occurred about 10:25 a.m. at the Raymond Buenger home, 1501 Cypress Ct., police said.
Nancy Buenger, 33, mother of four, was killed by two gunshots to the head and one to the chest. She was pronounced dead at Alexian Brothers Medical Center, Elk Grove Village.
BUENGER, 35, was listed in critical condition Tuesday night in the in-

tensive care unit of the hospital. He suffered a gunshot wound to the head.
Police said they were called to the Buenger house to investigate a report of a domestic disturbance with shots being fired. The Buengers were found lying in the kitchen of the bilevel home by police.
Both Buenger and his wife's wounds were inflicted by the same weapon, a .38-caliber handgun, police said. Two of four Buenger children were in the home at the time of the shootings, and assistant Cook County state's attor-

neys were questioning them Tuesday night.
Further details about the incident were not available pending investigation by the state's attorney's office.
The Buenger family was aided by Northwest suburbanites in December after the family was included on a list of needy families by Schaumburg Township officials. These families usually receive turkeys and other holiday footstuffs collected by civic groups.
AREA RESIDENTS offered Christ-

mas trees and presents for the family following a Herald story outlining the family's struggle to make ends meet while living on township general-assistance funds.
Neighbors said Tuesday they did not know much about the Buengers because the couple did not socialize with the people in the neighborhood. One woman said the Buengers "kept to themselves."
Georgia Radosta, who has lived next door to the family for 12 years, said neighbors "left them alone" be-

cause of the problems the Buengers were experiencing.
During an interview with a Herald reporter last December, Mrs. Buenger traced the family's problems back to an auto accident in June 1975. After that incident and the father's inability to work full time at a tool and die making job, Buenger suffered a nervous breakdown, Mrs. Buenger had said.
SINCE HIS BREAKDOWN, Buenger was in and out of the mental health unit at Alexian Brothers Medical Center, she said. A spokesman for the hospital Tuesday confirmed Buenger had been treated there in the past.
Because of financial and medical problems the family was forced to go to Schaumburg Township for general assistance funds to buy necessities.
Mrs. Buenger went into training as a nursing assistant at Sherman Hospital, Elgin, but lost that job when she had to spend a week in a nearby hospital for tests.
In December, she said, "I'm laughing on the outside, but there have
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Judge to make it official Thursday

May 22 proposed date of Prospect Hts. election

Prospect Heights Improvements Assn. officials Tuesday tentatively set May 22 for the election of city officials.

The recommended date and guidelines for the election are expected to be approved Thursday by a Cook County Circuit Court judge.

More than 40 residents of the new city, which was approved in an incorporation referendum Jan. 31, attended the PHIA meeting. The meeting was held at St. Alphonsus Church, 411 Wheeling Rd., Prospect Heights.

DONALD J. KREGER, PHIA attorney, said candidates will have between 64 and 96 days before the election to file nominating petitions and ethics statements with the circuit court.

The court will oversee the election in which eight aldermen, a mayor and a clerk-treasurer will be elected. The council will serve a three-year term and be elected at-large as required by state law.

Eight aldermanic districts for future elections will be formed once the city government begins functioning, Kreger said.

Kreger said petitions, ethics forms and an account of correct filing procedures will be made available within the next week to interested residents.

PHIA officials said they plan to distribute the nominating petitions

Clawes bids for city clerk post

Jo Ellen Clawes, Prospect Heights Park District commissioner, Tuesday announced her candidacy for city clerk-treasurer of Prospect Heights.

Mrs. Clawes, 46, of 203 N. Parkway St., Prospect Heights, is the first to seek the post. The position is one of three proposed full-time city jobs. The city clerk-treasurer is expected to receive an annual salary of \$10,000, according to a tentative city budget proposed by the Prospect Heights Improvement Assn.

Jack E. Gilligan, former PHIA president, announced earlier this week that he will be a candidate for mayor in the city's first election of municipal officials which is expected to take place in May.

A CIRCUIT COURT judge is expected to set a definite date for the election in May.

Mrs. Clawes, an 18-year resident of Prospect Heights, believes she can do the most "to help set up the new city

by being clerk-treasurer," she said.

"I do not believe that my being a park board commissioner would be a conflict of interest, and I would plan to continue my term on the park board which lasts through April 1977," she said. Mrs. Clawes was elected to her first term on the park board in April 1975.

Mrs. Clawes, the mother of four children, helped found the Prospect Heights Little League Auxiliary and is a school crossing guard. Her husband, Richard, is an engineer for Illinois Bell Telephone Co.

Prospect Heights residents will elect a mayor, eight city aldermen and a clerk-treasurer in the spring election.

Once the city council is elected, a city manager and clerical help will be hired, and an attorney and city engineer will be retained as their services become necessary, PHIA officials have said.

through the Prospect Heights Public Library.

THE COURT IS expected to require that candidates obtain enough

signatures on their petitions to equal about five per cent of the residents who voted in the incorporation referendum.

About 2,863 ballots were cast in the election, which means about 150 signatures would be required on a candidate's petition, Kreger said.

Some residents expressed concern that the first elected officials could all live in the same part of the city and would represent only a portion of the residents.

"The first three years, your officials will be busy setting up a new city government in everyone's interest, I don't think what you're afraid of is the case," Kreger said.

Clerk quits police job; charges discrimination

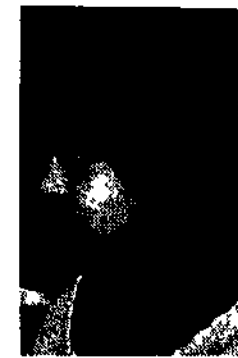
A former records clerk in the Wheeling Police Dept. contends she was discriminated against in her unsuccessful try to become a police matron.

The former clerk, Lynette Valenza, quit her job with the department last week.

But in a letter to Police Chief M.O. (Syke) Horcher announcing her resignation, the woman said the department denied her an equal opportunity to become a matron despite fulfilling all the requirements for the job.

"I can only conclude that I have been discriminated against and that I have been denied an equal opportunity by my employer, even though I have fulfilled every requirement requested of me," she said in the letter.

A copy of the letter also was sub-



Lynette Valenza

mitted to village officials Monday. When contacted late Tuesday, Miss Valenza declined to discuss the letter. "It's pretty much self-explanatory," she said.

The letter says, however, that Miss Valenza was denied assignment to the same matron duties as other female employees of the department. Police matrons are used as guards or to conduct searches in cases involving female crime victims or arrestees.

She said she was denied the duties despite completing a course she was told was required for the post. She said she also knew of no other women with matron duties that had completed the course.

But Horcher, when contacted Tuesday said he did not approve the matron assignment because he did not believe Miss Valenza qualified for the job. "I'm not about to assume the responsibility for someone I don't have total confidence in to do that kind of work," he said.

Village appeal urged to FAA on airport

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member of the House Committee on Government Operations, said last year the airport fails to meet some standards for runway design. Brooks made an inquiry at the request of Wheeling residents who wrote the committee. However, he said, FAA officials indicated the problems present no threat to air safety.

Cook County and the village jointly filed suit in 1967, charging safety procedures at the airport were inadequate. The lawsuit asked that restrictions be placed on the length of runways and the weights of aircraft using them.

THE COUNTY AND the village objected to the length of runway 16-34, which is used by small jets. The suit asked for an 80,000-pound limit on aircraft landing at the airport.

Earlier court rulings have said the village and county provided no evidence the airport was a danger to nearby residents.

Village officials have taken no action on Hamer's recommendations.

For civic minded folks

'Almost Anything Goes' hope gone

by LUISA GINETTI

Pictures it: Palatine Village Pres. Wendell E. Jones shoving down a basketball into a pool of water, trying to sink a basketball in a hoop along the way, with thousands of cheering Palatine residents rooting him on.

Or Trustees Philip E. Stern and Richard W. Fonte catching catapulted cantaloupes tossed to them by fellow trustees Fred Zajonc and Bryan T. Coughlin, with Trustee Robert Guss

providing the coaching.

Sound absurd? Well, Trustee James L. Shaw thinks it's a great idea. And so do the producers of a new game show called "Almost Anything Goes," which pits local towns against each other in zany stunts, all depicted in living color aboard the airwaves of ABC-TV.

Shaw said he thinks being on television playing those crazy games, which are seen over the national net-

work for one hour every Saturday night, would be great fun.

EACH WEEK, three local towns are represented by six team members and a coach. They compete for nothing more than a trophy presented to them from host Regis Philbin and the right to go on to regional competition. If they're lucky, they can go on to the national finals.

You see, it's the civic pride that the town gains from that close community spirit and camaraderie which is the real prize, at least according to Bob Banner Associates, producers of the show.

And Shaw agrees. But alas, the story has an unhappy ending for Palatine.

It seems that only towns with populations between 8,000 and 20,000 can compete on the show. And even if Palatine met the population requirement, officials with the show said they are booked through the end of the year.

But great ideas can't be abandoned without at least some attempt at the old American give-it-a-try ethic.

As Shaw suggested, if only Palatine could disannex the Winston Park subdivision.



Wheeling bank to be used by county; no conflict found

Wheeling Trust and Savings was reinstated Tuesday as a depository for the Lake County treasurer despite charges that County Board Member Glenn Miller of Long Grove has a conflict of interest.

Miller is a stockholder and a director of the bank. The bank has been a county depository for the past several years despite an on-going controversy since Miller was elected to the board six years ago.

The bank was removed as a depository by the board last month. Miller moved to reconsider Tuesday, saying he had no conflict and urging anyone who thought he did to file suit. The bank's reinstatement was approved by a 13-to-2 margin.

In other action, the board voted to hire an architect to prepare plans for

the completion of the fourth floor of the courts building in Waukegan.

The Lake County Building Commission has \$850,000 for the project remaining from the construction of the county building complex.

Board Member F. T. "Mike" Graham of Libertyville suggested the existing court building be utilized on weekends and evenings to ease the crowded courtrooms.

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Correction

A story in Monday's Herald incorrectly stated that Wheeling Historical Society members planned to spend tax funds derived from a museum tax without approval of the Wheeling Park Board officials. Society members asked only to have control over money from special fund-raising projects. The Herald regrets the error.

Legislative allocation stands: judge

Walker wins in school aid suit

by KATHERINE BOYCE

Gov. Daniel Walker has won the first round in his suit against the Illinois Board of Education to prevent the board from paying schools more state aid per month than appropriated by the legislature.

Sangamon County Circuit Court Judge Waldo Acherman ruled in favor of the governor Tuesday. Julia Dempsey, attorney for the state board, said she will now take the case to the Illinois Appellate Court in Sangamon County.

In November, the state board voted to distribute monthly state aid to

schools in an amount equal to one-twelfth of the annual amount schools are entitled to under the current state aid formula.

WALKER CUT the legislature's school appropriations by \$81 million last summer. He has since insisted the state board distribute monthly aid in an amount equal to one-twelfth the annual sum based on the reduced appropriation. When the state board refused to comply, the Governor went to court.

The judge chose a "literal reading" of the statute on state aid disbursements, said Dempsey, and would

not consider past practices. For several years the state has disbursed aid according to the formula rather than the appropriation.

A bill that would have clarified the state board's power to distribute aid according to the formula died in the legislature last year. The judge ruled the matter of state aid disbursement was "more clearly" in the realm of the legislature, said Dempsey, but the judge also left the state board with the option of taking the case to the Illinois Supreme Court.

If state aid is prorated according to the formula rather than the appropriation, schools would receive an ad-

ditional \$2.5 million in state funds month, but funds would run out before the end of the fiscal year.

THE STATE'S last payment in June would be cut between \$60 and \$70 million if the legislature does not pass a supplemental appropriation next spring.

Last month the state board gave tentative approval to its proposed education budget, which included a request for a \$100 million supplemental appropriation from the Illinois General Assembly this spring.

Walker has opposed the request saying the state has no additional money for schools this year.

Mount Prospect vs. Randhurst

Rock concert outrages trustees

by LYNN ASINOF

Rock 'n' roll, which made a brief appearance at Randhurst last month, will be a short-lived phenomenon in the Northwest suburbs if Mount Prospect officials have their way.

Several village board members Monday said they were outraged about the hard rock Blue Oyster Cult concert at the Randhurst Twin Ice Arena Jan. 26.

While a review by The Herald of the concert passed from hand to hand, the trustees said they thought they had banned such hard rock concerts at Randhurst in a zoning ordinance approved last fall. Several said they wanted to prevent a repeat of the concert by enforcing the ordinance.

That ordinance says music concerts shall be limited to those which "contain no primitive harmonic progressions in a homophonic textured melody line with electronic instruments and/or contain no pornographic lyrics." The Northwestern University School of Music provided the village with this definition of "acid rock" music.

AS A RESULT of the turmoil, Village Mgr. Robert J. Eppley said he is taking steps to put an end to rock 'n' roll at Randhurst. He said this includes the Feb. 18 concert featuring rock 'n' roller Ted Nugent. About 800 tickets for this concert already have been sold.

"My intention is that there'll be no more rock concerts," Eppley said. "Now that I know what the board's



meaning is, it doesn't matter how I personally feel. We're not going to have it."

A meeting to discuss the matter is set for 7:30 p.m. Thursday at the village hall, 100 S. Emerson St.

SPOKESMEN FOR the ice arena said the ordinance specifically prohibits "acid rock" but not the type of rock 'n' roll played by Blue Oyster Cult or Ted Nugent.

"I was there and if this is acid rock, I'm a baboon," said Thomas Hanlon, attorney for the owners of the ice arena.

Hanlon said he could not comment on the village's plans to prohibit the Ted Nugent concert, saying he had received no official word from the village.

Zane Bresloff, president of Northwest Productions, which promoted the concert, said he checked the ordinance with the Northwestern University School of Music to make sure Blue Oyster Cult would comply.

"They're just loud rock 'n' rollers," Bresloff said of the group.

BRESLOFF SAID other concerts booked include Jesse Colin Young, April 4, and a Gospel group at a later date. He said other groups like Ferrante and Teicher are under consideration.

Trustee Edward B. Rhea Jr., one of those most incensed by the rock concert, said he was upset by the marijuana smoking and drinking that reportedly took place at the performance.

"I don't care so much about the kind of music," Rhea said. "I object to the marijuana smokers and the beer drinkers."

RHEA SAID HE plans to get a police report on the performance and pursue the matter at the next board meeting.

Reports from both the police and the ice arena management show that there were few problems resulting from the concert.

"We had absolutely no trouble at all with this concert," said George Simpson, manager of the ice arena. "The fire and police departments were here and were witness to that fact. We were amazed we could have 5,000 kids in this building and have no trouble."

POLICE CHIEF Ralph J. Doney

said there were a few minor incidents but nothing of major importance. He said there was marijuana smoking in the audience, but that beer and liquor was confiscated at the door.

"My men felt that considering this was our first one, the concert wasn't that bad," Doney said. "We didn't have any incidents."

Bresloff said the village's attempt to end rock 'n' roll at Randhurst is depriving local teens of their rights. He said concerts are held in other towns and said the village should have some faith in the conduct of its youngsters.

"If you give the kids a chance to act like adults, they will," Bresloff said.

Bedtime story for tots Thursday

The Indian Trails Public Library will present bedtime storytime for 3-year-olds at 7 p.m. Thursday at the Chamber of Commerce Center, 251 N. Wolf Rd., Wheeling.

Children may come in their pajamas and bring favorite bedtime toys. For further information, call 537-4011.

Howlett puts self in new controversy

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list of itemized deductions which Howlett claimed for the year.

THE TAX SITUATIONS marked the second controversy Howlett has started himself in the past two weeks.

Howlett told reporters he has resigned from the Sun Steel post, the firm which paid him \$225,000 since 1980, because "I do not wish to permit the campaign for governor to be diverted from the real issues."

Father kills wife, shoots self: police

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been nights I have cried. It hurts down deep."

At Christmas, Mrs. Buenger thought she would not have enough money to buy any gifts for the children, but after a Herald story, residents from throughout the Northwest suburbs called with promises for presents.

SHE HAD SAID she thought the financial turnaround was bringing the family closer together and things were no longer taken for granted as they had in the past.

Mrs. Buenger did find a job recently and worked nights as a waitress at a nearby restaurant.

Authorities said if they did not find relatives in the area, the Buenger's four children, ranging from third grade to a sophomore in high school, would be turned over to the Illinois Dept. of Children and Family Services.

While Howlett announced he resigned from the post, he was quick to point out that he does not believe the situation represents a conflict of interest. He said Sun Steel and the M.S. Kaplan Co. Inc., which owns 55 per cent of Sun Steel, never did any business with state.

Hu said he performed labor and sales consulting for the company during the period he served as state auditor and later as secretary of state.

HOWLETT SAID he did not seek any clients for the company after he was elected to public office. He also said to the best of his knowledge none of the clients he advised Sun Steel on did business with the state. Howlett declined to name the sales clients.

Howlett called the campaign and income disclosures "a key issue in the campaign."

He also criticized Walker for not releasing the contributors to his 1972 campaign.

Walker aides revealed early Tuesday Walker would make the contributors list public soon.

"Gov. Walker and his people would have you believe there is a question when I receive \$15,000 from a company which does no business whatsoever with the state. But they do not believe there is a conflict when Dan Walker asks for and gets \$2 million from people doing business with agencies he controls.

Howlett also released a statement which reported his net worth at \$78,500, including \$29,000 in state pension funds, \$26,000 in life insurance and \$12,000 equity in a house in Long Beach, Ind. He also revealed he lost \$8,000 on the sale of a home in Chicago in 1975.

R PHARMACY PHACTS

By Marshall Olsen

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School notes

Wheeling - Buffalo Grove

Wheeling-Buffalo Grove Dist. 21

Robert James, zoologist, teacher, author and entertainer will bring a monkey iguana, boa constrictor and other animals when he visits area schools. In his program, James promotes a love for animals, an awareness of their plight and a realistic response to animals from the children.

James will visit two schools in Wheeling today. He will be at Holmes Junior High School, 221 S. Wolf Rd., at 9 a.m. and London Junior High School, 1001 W. Dundee Rd. at 1 p.m.

Students at Cooper Junior High School, 1050 W. Plum Grove Rd., Buffalo Grove, will see the program Tuesday at 9 a.m.

Cooper Junior High School's concert winds will be playing 30-minute concerts of marches and popular music today for six elementary schools. The 45-member ensemble will perform for Alcott, Poe, Kilmer Irving, Riley and Longfellow schools.

High School Dist. 214

The Wheeling High School Choral League is sponsoring a spaghetti dinner from noon to 5 p.m. Sunday in the high school cafeteria, 900 S. Elmhurst Rd., Wheeling.

Tickets are \$2 for an "all you can eat" meal including Italian spaghetti, salad, beverage and dessert.

Tickets are available from choral students, at the music department during school hours, and at the door. Children 6 years old and younger will be served free of charge.

The dinner is a league fund-raising project. Proceeds will go to support the school's choir through the purchase of equipment and by providing summer scholarships for music students.

Jack Williamson, director of bands at Wheeling High School, has been selected for inclusion in the 8th edition of the international "Who's Who in Music."

The publication represents the hall of fame for prominent figures in the music world. Listings include composers, performers, musicologists and conductors. Based in England, the "Who's Who in Music" has long been established as the leading biographical reference work of its kind.

Williams is in his fourth year as conductor of the Wheeling High School bands. He has the distinction of being one of the few band conductors listed in the edition.

Reunions

The January and June 1956 classes of Lindholm High School are planning a 20th reunion. Classmates not yet contacted are asked to call Tony Pavia, 894-1660 or Dolores Kerrill Pitts, 392-8536.

Foreman High School class of 1966 is holding its 10th reunion April 10 at Pary Villa, 2300 N. Narragansett, Chicago. For information and reservations contact Nancee Fortunato Blank at 692-5405 before Feb. 28.

In general...

The College of Lake County literary group, Glass Dictionary, will meet at 7 p.m. Friday in the school's faculty lounge, Building 1, on campus, 19351 W. Washington St., Grayslake.

A videotape showing of Shakespeare's "Much Ado About Nothing" and a discussion on the literary genius are planned. The program is free and open to the public.

Howlett puts self into new controversy

by STEVE BROWN
Aides to embattled Sec. of State Michael J. Howlett told The Herald Tuesday that the Democratic gubernatorial candidate ignored advice against lumping his income disclosures with the announcement he was quitting his \$15,000-a-year outside job.

The outcome was that Howlett has opened a new controversy with the disclosure he declared \$100,000 in campaign contributions as personal income in 1974 even though the gov-

ernment does not consider campaign funds as taxable income.

Howlett was attempting to "clear the air" over his job with the Sun Steel Co during a press conference at the Blismarck Hotel, but much of the questioning surrounded Howlett's tax returns.

WHILE EXPLAINING why he resigned from the \$15,000-a-year consulting post with Sun Steel, Howlett also disclosed his net worth and showed reporters his 1974 income tax returns.

Aides said after the press conference they advised Howlett not to link the two matters together.

"I think it cleared the air, but it looks like it opened a whole new can of worms," one adviser said.

At issue was Howlett's 1974 income tax return which included \$100,000 he received as campaign contributions. Howlett declared the contributions as personal income. He said he was advised by Chicago lawyer Harold Bernstein to declare the contributions as personal income.

ACCORDING TO Internal Revenue Service regulations, politicians are not required to declare campaign contributions as income unless the money was used for personal expenses.

"I used the \$100,000 to pay back taxes, I did not use it for personal expenses. My tax counsel advised me to pay the taxes, it did not have anything to do with the IRS. It was put into the campaign fund. All I did was what my tax counsel told me to do," Howlett said.

Howlett said he used \$75,000 of the

amount to repay a loan he made during his 1972 campaign for secretary of state. Howlett said he borrowed the money from Nationwide Acceptance Corp.

He said the remaining \$25,000 was used to pay taxes on the loan, retire other debts and subsequent political opportunities.

HOWLETT DECLINED to offer any specifics on how the \$100,000 was used.

"I have made the greatest dis-

closure ever made by any public official," Howlett said.

Howlett said he will disclose his 1972 campaign contributions in the near future.

He did produce a list of persons who purchased tickets to fund-raising events in Chicago and Springfield in 1974. The money raised in the events was used to pay off the loans, Howlett said.

The 1974 tax return Howlett allowed reporters to review did not include the

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TODAY: Partly cloudy, much colder. High mid 30s; low mid 20s.

THURSDAY: Partly cloudy. High mid 30s.

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Taste of spring disappears

Do not prepare your winter coat and galoshes for mothballs quite yet. Spring IS NOT right around the corner.

Following an official high of 60 degrees Tuesday, the U. S. Weather Service forecast high temperatures in the lower 30s today with north winds gusting between 10 and 15 miles per hour.

Tuesday's mid-afternoon forecast said the Chicago area would be under a partly cloudy sky today but with very little chance of measurable precipitation.

Temperatures will drop into the upper teens or lower 20s tonight, then remain cold and dry on Thursday.

The Weather Service forecast no measurable amount of precipitation until Friday when, a spokesman said, it would probably be a light shower.

Tuesday's 60-degree high fell three degrees short of the Chicago area record set Feb. 10, 1876.

Isolated cases of flu reported in schools

by KURT BAER

Isolated outbreaks of influenza have hit hard at some area schools.

Health officials, however, still say they are hoping this winter will wind up as one of the mildest flu seasons in recent years.

St. Stephen School, Des Plaines, was closed Tuesday with eight of the school's 14 teachers and 70 of 318 students reported out with the flu.

Prospect Heights Dist. 23 also reported numerous flu-related absences.

"There are many, many children and some teachers out because of the flu," said Carol Weinberg, one of two nurses in Dist. 23. From a total enrollment of 1,705 students, 137 elementary children and 48 junior high school students were absent Tuesday. Ten of the district's 93 teachers also were reported sick.

"There seems to be two kinds of flu. The first makes the person much sicker — fever, cough and sore throat. The second, a stomach flu, seems to be of shorter duration. Some children have had both," Mrs. Weinberg said.

Jill Barthel, supervisory nurse for Elk Grove Township Dist. 59, reported a number of flu-like illnesses in district schools.

"We usually have a period when we have a number of students absent because of high fevers or flu. We seem to be going through

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Grading, seeding

Village OKs pact for slope work

The Buffalo Grove Village Board has approved a compromise agreement between the park district and Miller Builders that calls for regrading and reseeding of a slope near Washington Living School in Mill Creek.

Under the compromise, the park district would perform the work, with Miller paying half the cost of the project up to \$700.

The agreement was reached after a lengthy village board discussion concerning responsibility for the slope, which Park Comm. William Kiddle called "an abomination."

An agreement between the village and Miller Builders that would make several improvements in the Mill Creek subdivision, at Miller's expense, was deferred by the board last week when the park district asked to have the regrading and reseeding paid for by Miller.

STANLEY CROSLAND, director of parks and recreation, said the slope

was a hazard to children because of the "huge chuckholes, weeds, glass and bottles." He said responsibility for the slope was up to Miller Builders, whose property was annexed into the village in 1969.

Village Engineer Arnold Seaberg said Miller had graded the site, but because they did not seed it, erosion set in and affected the slope.

"The whole problem is that Miller apparently has no legal obligation to

regrade under the 1969 annexation agreement," said Kiddle.

Board discussion included the possibility of filing a lawsuit against Miller to correct the situation, but the idea was turned down because of the relatively small amount of money involved and the hazy legal status.

IN ADDITION TO paying up to \$700 for regrading and reseeding of the school site slope, Miller presented the board with checks for \$3,799.78 to cover unpaid invoices and engineering fees and \$4,835 to cover several public improvements in Mill Creek.

The improvements will include repair of several storm sewers, replacement of a concrete walk and construction of a new swale between Mill Creek and Frenchmen's Cove.

The park district will meet Thursday night to discuss whether or not to accept the village board compromise. The meeting is at 8 p.m. at the district headquarters, 150 Raupp Blvd.

Hearing tonight on shop center plan

The Buffalo Grove Village Commission will conduct a public hearing tonight on a proposed shopping center to be located at the northeast corner of Buffalo Grove and Dundee roads.

A proposal by Brian Properties, Inc. to develop a retail shopping center that would include a True Value Hardware store and approximately 12 smaller stores will be discussed at the hearing.

The plan commission will also hold a workshop session on proposals by Levitt and Sons Inc. and Surety Homes Corp. for single family zoning in the village.

Levitt is requesting a change in zoning from 282 proposed townhouse units to 161 single-family homes in the third phase of the Strathmore Grove subdivision.

THE 61-ACRE site is north of Ill. Rte. 83, one mile east of Ill. Rte. 53 and south of Aptakisic Road. The village board authorized the firm to build multiple-family units in 1973, but Levitt requested the switch to single-family units to meet changing market demands, company representatives said.

Average cost of a home in the area would be \$62,350, with a total population of approximately 1,100 residents, according to the developers. The firm plans to start construction by summer, and the subdivision phase could be completed within two years.

The proposal by Surety Homes of Bollingbrook calls for annexation of 68

acres of at the northeast corner of Ill. Rte. 83 and Busch Roads.

Plans call for construction of 201 single-family homes at an average selling price of \$60,000. The total population of the proposed Camelot subdi-

vision would be 818 residents.

The plan commission meets at 8 p.m. for the shopping center public hearing and 8:45 p.m. for the Levitt and Surety workshops. The village hall is at 50 Raupp Blvd.



TALK TO THE ANIMALS. Zoologist Robert James has been taking his menagerie to a number of schools in Wheeling-Buffero Grove Dist. 21 this week, showing youngsters that monkeys, boa constrictors and even spiders can be friendly creatures.



James shows Hawthorne School students Marci Smith and Pamela Zitzewitz the scaly texture of the boa constrictor's skin. And who said snakes are slimy?

Father of four kills wife, shoots self, police report

A Hanover Park man allegedly shot and killed his wife Tuesday, then critically wounded himself in what police said was an apparent murder and attempted suicide.

The incident occurred about 10:25 a.m. at the Raymond Buenger home, 1301 Cypress Ct., police said.

Nancy Buenger, 33, mother of four, was killed by two gunshots to the head and one to the chest. She was pronounced dead at Alexian Brothers Medical Center, Elk Grove Village.

BUENGER, 35, was listed in critical condition Tuesday night in the in-

tensive care unit of the hospital. He suffered a gunshot wound to the head.

Police said they were called to the Buenger house to investigate a report of a domestic disturbance with shots being fired. The Buengers were found lying in the kitchen of the bilevel home by police.

Both Buenger and his wife's wounds were inflicted by the same weapon, a 38-caliber handgun, police said. Two of four Buenger children were in the home at the time of the shootings, and assistant Cook County state's attor-

neys were questioning them Tuesday night.

Further details about the incident were not available pending investigation by the state's attorney's office.

The Buenger family was aided by Northwest suburbanites in December after the family was included on a list of needy families by Schaumburg Township officials. These families usually receive turkeys and other holiday footstuffs collected by civic groups.

AREA RESIDENTS offered Christ-

mas trees and presents for the family following a Herald story outlining the family's struggle to make ends meet while living on township general-assistance funds.

Neighbors said Tuesday they did not know much about the Buengers because the couple did not socialize with the people in the neighborhood. One woman said the Buengers "kept to themselves."

Georgia Radosta, who has lived next door to the family for 12 years, said neighbors "left them alone" be-

cause of the problems the Buengers were experiencing.

During an interview with a Herald reporter last December, Mrs. Buenger traced the family's problems back to an auto accident in June 1975. After that incident and the father's inability to work full time at a tool and die making job, Buenger suffered a nervous breakdown, Mrs. Buenger had said.

SINCE HIS BREAKDOWN, Buenger was in and out of the mental health unit at Alexian Brothers Medical Cen-

ter, she said. A spokesman for the hospital Tuesday confirmed Buenger had been treated there in the past.

Because of financial and medical problems the family was forced to go to Schaumburg Township for general assistance funds to buy necessities.

Mrs. Buenger went into training as a nursing assistant at Sherman Hospital, Elgin, but lost that job when she had to spend a week in a nearby hospital for tests.

In December, she said, "I'm laughing on the outside, but there have

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Until budget hearings

Omni-House fund bid deferred for one month

A request for \$20,000 by Omni-House: Youth Services Bureau was deferred by the Buffalo Grove Village Board until budget hearings next month.

Village Treasurer James Shirley said Monday he had "no questions about the good they've done, but I don't feel we're in any position to make a formal commitment until we review the budget."

Omni-House, a Wheeling-based counseling agency, serves residents in Buffalo Grove, Wheeling, Arlington Heights and Lincolnshire. This year's Buffalo Grove request is approximately \$4,000 more than last year, primarily because a large grant from the Illinois Law Enforcement Commission is being phased out and will

end in 1977, said Peter Digre, executive director of Omni-House.

THE ILEC CREATED the youth services bureau in 1970 with a grant of \$131,000. This year the bureau will only receive \$33,000 and the group's budget is projected at \$225,850, Digre said.

Digre said Omni-House should contribute approximately \$54,200 worth of services to Buffalo Grove next year, based on past levels. During fiscal year 1975, 430 Buffalo Grove residents were served on a contract basis, and 1,104 residents have been served by the bureau since 1970.

Harry Walsh, Buffalo Grove police chief, praised the efforts of Omni-House and said "we average almost a referral a week to Omni-House, and

only a few come back a year — that's almost unheard of."

BOARD MEMBER Clarice Rech said a lack of change in village pockets could diminish the \$20,000 request. She said she favored appropriating village funds for the bureau, but said "part of the problem is that while you're asking for a 25 per cent increase in funding, we didn't have a 25 per cent increase in our revenues."

Buffalo Grove is second to Wheeling in the number of clients served, Digre said. Wheeling is being asked to contribute \$26,000 and Arlington Heights \$11,000, he said.

Omni-House includes a variety of family and youth counseling, drug programs, an emergency hot line, liaison programs with local police departments and legal aid services.

Appeal airport ills to FAA: Hamer

Wheeling officials have been advised to ask the Federal Aviation Administration to enforce safety regulations at Pal-Waukee Airport.

Atty. Paul Hamer, who has represented the village in an eight-year legal battle with the airport over safety

procedures, made his recommendation in a letter to the board. The village contends the length of runways and the size of some aircraft using them pose a threat to the safety of residents living near the airport.

Wheeling unsuccessfully has maintained since the outset of litigation that it has the right to control runways and aircraft weight because of zoning agreements made when the runways were extended in 1963. The Illinois supreme court last month upheld two earlier court decisions that said the FAA is the only agency with the authority to govern airport operations.

HAMER SAID THE "village should seek to have the FAA enforce their safety regulations at the airport, which would automatically reduce the length of the runway. This, in turn, would limit the size of the aircraft using the field."

Hamer said the village should file suit against the FAA if that agency "refuses to enforce their safety regulations."

Apparently runways at Pal-Waukee do not conform to some government regulations, although the extent of problems is not known.

U. S. Rep. Jack Brooks, D-Tex., a member of the House Committee on Government Operations, said last year the airport fails to meet some standards for runway design. Brooks made an inquiry at the request of Wheeling residents who wrote the committee. However, he said, FAA officials indicated the problems present no threat to air safety.

Cook County and the village jointly filed suit in 1967, charging safety procedures at the airport were inadequate. The lawsuit asked that restrictions be placed on the length of runways and the weights of aircraft using them.

THE COUNTY AND the village objected to the length of runway 16-34, which is used by small jets. The suit asked for an 80,000-pound limit on aircraft landing at the airport.

Earlier court rulings have said the village and county provided no evidence the airport was a danger to nearby residents.

Village officials have taken no action on Hamer's recommendations.

Dist. 214 term to begin prior to Labor Day

Classes will begin the Wednesday before Labor Day this year in High School Dist. 214.

The Dist. 214 Board of Education this week approved a calendar for the 1976-77 school year. The school year will begin Tuesday, Aug. 31, with an institute day for teachers. Students will report to classes Wednesday, Sept. 1.

Winter vacation will begin at the close of classes on Wednesday, Dec. 22, and classes will resume Monday, Jan. 3, 1977. The first semester will end Friday Jan. 21.

Spring vacation will begin at the close of classes Thursday, April 7, 1977, and classes will resume Monday, April 18. The last day of classes will be held Friday, June 10, 1977.

According to a report submitted to the board by the administration, the superintendents of the 10 school districts in the High School Dist. 214 and 211 area discussed the calendar and a majority preferred starting school next year before Labor Day with a shortened winter vacation.

A majority of teachers polled by the Dist. 214 Education Assn. also favored the early start with a shortened holiday break.

Park slates free Sunday film series

The Wheeling Park District will sponsor a free series of Sunday afternoon movies through March 28 at Wheeling High School, 900 S. Elm-hurst Rd.

Movies will start at 1 p.m. and refreshments are available.

Films scheduled include "Tiger Bay," Feb. 15; "Oliver Twist," Feb. 22; "Topper Returns," Feb. 29; "Top-Hat," March 7; "The Body Snatchers," March 14; "Pygmalion," March 21; and "Twelve O'Clock High," March 28.

For further information, call 537-2222.

For civic minded folks

'Almost Anything Goes' hope gone

by LUISA GINETTI
Pictures it: Palatine Village Pres. Wendell E. Jones sliding down a banister toward a pool of water, trying to sink a basketball in a hoop along the way, with thousands of cheering Palatine residents rooting him on.

Or Trustees Philip E. Stern and Richard W. Fong catching catapulted castanets tossed to them by fellow trustees Fred Zajonc and Bryan T. Coughlin, with Trustee Robert Guss

providing the coaching. Sound absurd? Well, Trustee James L. Shaw thinks it's a great idea. And so do the producers of a new game show called "Almost Anything Goes," which pits local towns against each other in zany stunts, all depicted in living color aboard the airwaves of ABC-TV.

Shaw said he thinks being on television playing those crazy games, which are seen over the national net-

work for one hour every Saturday night, would be great fun.

EACH WEEK, three local towns are represented by six team members and a coach. They compete for nothing more than a trophy presented to them from host Regis Philbin and the right to go on to regional competition. If they're lucky, they can go on to the national finals.

You see, it's the civic pride that the town gains from that close community spirit and camaraderie which is the real prize, at least according to Bob Banner Associates, producers of the show.

And Shaw agrees. But alas, the story has an unhappy ending for Palatine.

It seems that only towns with populations between 8,000 and 20,000 can compete on the show. And even if Palatine met the population requirement, officials with the show said they are booked through the end of the year.

But great ideas can't be abandoned without at least some attempt at the old American give-it-a-try ethic.

As Shaw suggested, if only Palatine could disannex the Winston Park subdivision.



Village board wrapup

Carnival fee plan OKd by trustees

The Buffalo Grove Village Board approved establishment of a fee schedule for carnivals to cover village inspection fees and other expenses.

The minimum fee for a carnival to operate in Buffalo Grove will be \$500 for an amusement license, with a \$10 per day operating charge and a \$5 charge per ride.

William Whited, administrative assistant, said the carnival ordinance was amended because "we were, in effect, subsidizing the carnivals. You have to cover your costs."

\$4,500 OKd for new squad

The board authorized an expenditure of not more than \$4,500 to purchase a new squad car after an accident last Friday which demolished a police car involved in a chase on Dundee Road.

No one was injured in the chase, which involved a white Corvette that was traveling west on Dundee Road from Arlington Heights Road at speeds in excess of 100 mph.

The police car was demolished when it rolled into a ditch west of Hicks Road after failing to negotiate a curve in the road. The driver of the Corvette is still at large, police said.

Insurance will cover \$2,000, with the village paying the remainder of the cost of the new car.

\$2,790 approved for aerator

The board approved a donation of \$2,790 for the purchase of an aerator for the Buffalo Grove Golf Course.

The equipment purchase will replace the village's present machine, which golf pro Al Griffin said was not operated last year because of excessive wear. The purpose of an aerator is to allow water, fertilizer and fungicides to reach the roots of the grass.

Employee training policy accepted

A training policy for village employees was reviewed and accepted by the village board.

Recruit in-service and specialized training of village employees will be paid by the village, including tuition, fees, supplies and books, lodging, travel and related costs.

Tuition for classes taken at a formal educational institution will be paid in full if the employee receives a grade of A or B, one-half will be paid if a C is received and no reimbursement will be made if the employee receives a D or less.

No reimbursement will be made for courses taken at a private educational institution or a course not related to village needs, and the training programs will be included in annual department budgets.

Wheeling bank to be used by county; no conflict found

Wheeling Trust and Savings was reinstated Tuesday as a depository for the Lake County treasurer despite charges that County Board Member Glenn Miller of Long Grove has a conflict of interest.

Miller is a stockholder and a director of the bank. The bank has been a county depository for the past several years despite an on-going controversy since Miller was elected to the board six years ago.

The bank was removed as a depository by the board last month. Miller moved to reconsider Tuesday, saying he had no conflict and urging anyone who thought he did to file suit. The bank's reinstatement was approved by a 13-to-2 margin.

In other action, the board voted to hire an architect to prepare plans for

the completion of the fourth floor of the courts building in Waukegan.

The Lake County Building Commission has \$850,000 for the project remaining from the construction of the county building complex.

Board Member F. T. "Mike" Graham of Libertyville suggested the existing court building be utilized on weekends and evenings to ease the crowded courtrooms.

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Walker wins in school aid suit

by KATHERINE BOYCE

Gov. Daniel Walker has won the first round in his suit against the Illinois Board of Education to prevent the board from paying schools more state aid per month than appropriated by the legislature.

Sangamon County Circuit Court Judge Waldo Acherman ruled in favor of the governor Tuesday. Julia Dempsey, attorney for the state board, said she will now take the case to the Illinois Appellate Court in Sangamon County.

In November, the state board voted to distribute monthly state aid to

schools in an amount equal to one-twelfth of the annual amount schools are entitled to under the current state aid formula.

WALKER CUT the legislature's school appropriations by \$81 million last summer. He has since insisted the state board distribute monthly aid in an amount equal to one-twelfth the annual sum based on the reduced appropriation. When the state board refused to comply, the Governor went to court.

The judge chose a "literal reading" of the statute on state aid disbursements, said Dempsey, and would

not consider past practices. For several years the state has disbursed aid according to the formula rather than the appropriation.

A bill that would have clarified the state board's power to distribute aid according to the formula died in the legislature last year. The judge ruled the matter of state aid disbursement was "more clearly" in the realm of the legislature, said Dempsey, but the judge also left the state board with the option of taking the case to the Illinois Supreme Court.

If state aid is prorated according to the formula rather than the appropriation, schools would receive an ad-

ditional \$2.5 million in state fund month, but funds would run out before the end of the fiscal year.

THE STATE'S last payment in June would be cut between \$60 and \$76 million if the legislature does not pass a supplemental appropriation next spring.

Last month the state board gave tentative approval to its proposed education budget, which included a request for a \$100 million supplemental appropriation from the Illinois General Assembly this spring.

Walker has opposed the request saying the state has no additional money for schools this year.

School notes

Wheeling - Buffalo Grove

Wheeling-Buffalo Grove Dist. 21

Robert James, zoologist, teacher, author and entertainer will bring a monkey iguana, boa constrictor and other animals when he visits area schools. In his program, James promotes a love for animals, an awareness of their plight and a realistic response to animals from the children.

James will visit two schools in Wheeling today. He will be at Holmes Junior High School, 221 S. Wolf Rd., at 9 a.m. and London Junior High School, 1001 W. Dundee Rd. at 1 p.m.

Students at Cooper Junior High School, 1050 W. Plum Grove Rd., Buffalo Grove, will see the program Tuesday at 9 a.m.

Cooper Junior High School's concert winds will be playing 30-minute concerts of marches and popular music today for six elementary schools. The 45-member ensemble will perform for Alcott, Poe, Kilmer Irving, Riley and Longfellow schools.

High School Dist. 214

The Wheeling High School Choral League is sponsoring a spaghetti dinner from noon to 5 p.m. Sunday in the high school cafeteria, 900 S. Elmhurst Rd., Wheeling.

Tickets are \$2 for an "all you can eat" meal including Italian spaghetti, salad, beverage and dessert.

Tickets are available from choral students, at the music department during school hours, and at the door. Children 6 years old and younger will be served free of charge.

The dinner is a league fund-raising project. Proceeds will go to support the school's choir through the purchase of equipment and by providing summer scholarships for music students.

Jack Williamson, director of bands at Wheeling High School, has been selected for inclusion in the 8th edition of the international "Who's Who in Music."

The publication represents the hall of fame for prominent figures in the music world. Listings include composers, performers, musicians and conductors. Based in England, the "Who's Who in Music" has long been established as the leading biographical reference work of its kind.

Williams is in his fourth year as conductor of the Wheeling High School bands. He has the distinction of being one of the few band conductors listed in the edition.

Reunions

The January and June 1956 classes of Lindblom High School are planning a 20th reunion. Classmates not yet contacted are asked to call Tony Pavia, 894-1660 or Dolores Kerrill Pitts, 392-8536.

Foreman High School class of 1966 is holding its 10th reunion April 10 at Pary Villa, 2300 N. Narragansett, Chicago. For information and reservations contact Nancee Fortunato Blank at 682-5405 before Feb. 28.

In general...

The College of Lake County literary group, Glass Dictionary, will meet at 7 p.m. Friday in the school's faculty lounge, Building 1, on campus, 19351 W. Washington St., Grayslake.

A videotape showing of Shakespeare's "Much Ado About Nothing" and a discussion on the literary genius are planned. The program is free and open to the public.

Mount Prospect vs. Randhurst

Rock concert outrages trustees

by LYNN ASINOF

Rock 'n' roll, which made a brief appearance at Randhurst last month, will be a short-lived phenomenon in the Northwest suburbs if Mount Prospect officials have their way.

Several village board members Monday said they were outraged about the hard rock Blue Oyster Cult concert at the Randhurst Twin Ice Arena Jan. 30.

While a review by The Herald of the concert passed from hand to hand, the trustees said they thought they had banned such hard rock concerts at Randhurst in a zoning ordinance approved last fall. Several said they wanted to prevent a repeat of the concert by enforcing the ordinance.

That ordinance says music concerts shall be limited to those which "contain no primitive harmonic progressions in a homophonic textured melody line with electronic instruments and/or contain no pornographic lyrics." The Northwestern University School of Music provided the village with this definition of "acid rock" music.

AS A RESULT of the turmoil, Village Mgr. Robert J. Eppley said he is taking steps to put an end to rock 'n' roll at Randhurst. He said this includes the Feb. 18 concert featuring rock 'n' roller Ted Nugent. About 900 tickets for this concert already have been sold.

"My intention is that there'll be no more rock concerts," Eppley said. "Now that I know what the board's



meaning is, it doesn't matter how I personally feel. We're not going to have it."

A meeting to discuss the matter is set for 7:30 p.m. Thursday at the village hall, 100 S. Emerson St. SPOKESMEN FOR the ice arena said the ordinance specifically prohibits "acid rock," but not the type of rock 'n' roll played by Blue Oyster Cult or Ted Nugent.

"I was there and if this is acid rock, I'm a baboon," said Thomas Hanlon, attorney for the owners of the ice arena.

Hanlon said he could not comment on the village's plans to prohibit the Ted Nugent concert, saying he had received no official word from the village.

Zane Bresloff, president of Northwest Productions, which promoted the concert, said he checked the ordinance with the Northwestern University School of Music to make sure Blue Oyster Cult would comply.

"They're just loud rock 'n' rollers," Bresloff said of the group.

BRESLOFF SAID other concerts booked include Jesse Colin Young, April 4, and a Gospel group at a later date. He said other groups like Ferencik and Telcher are under consideration.

Trustee Edward B. Rhea Jr., one of those most incensed by the rock concert, said he was upset by the marijuana smoking and drinking that reportedly took place at the performance.

"I don't care so much about the kind of music," Rhea said. "I object to the marijuana smokers and the beer drinkers."

RHEA SAID HE plans to get a police report on the performance and pursue the matter at the next board meeting.

Reports from both the police and the ice arena management show that there were few problems resulting from the concert.

"We had absolutely no trouble at all with this concert," said George Simpson, manager of the ice arena. "The fire and police departments were here and were witness to that fact. We were amazed we could have 5,000 kids in this building and have no trouble." POLICE CHIEF Ralph J. Doney

said there were a few minor incidents but nothing of major importance. He said there was marijuana smoking in the audience, but that beer and liquor was confiscated at the door.

"My men felt that considering this was our first one, the concert wasn't that bad," Doney said. "We didn't have any incidents."

Bresloff said the village's attempt to end rock 'n' roll at Randhurst is depriving local teens of their rights. He said concerts are held in other towns and said the village should have some faith in the conduct of its youngsters.

"If you give the kids a chance to act like adults, they will," Bresloff said.

Bedtime story for tots Thursday

The Indian Trails Public Library will present bedtime storytime for 3-year-olds at 7 p.m. Thursday at the Chamber of Commerce Center, 251 N. Wolf Rd., Wheeling.

Children may come in their pajamas and bring favorite bedtime toys. For further information, call 537-4011.

Howlett puts self in new controversy

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list of itemized deductions which Howlett claimed for the year.

THE TAX SITUATIONS marked the second controversy Howlett has started himself in the past two weeks.

Howlett told reporters he has resigned from the Sun Steel post, the firm which paid him \$225,000 since 1966, because "I do not wish to permit the campaign for governor to be diverted from the real issues."

Father kills wife, shoots self: police

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been nights I have cried. It hurts down deep."

At Christmas, Mrs. Buenger thought she would not have enough money to buy any gifts for the children, but after a Herald story, residents from throughout the Northwest suburbs called with promises for presents.

SHE HAD SAID she thought the financial turnabout was bringing the family closer together and things were no longer taken for granted as they had in the past.

Mrs. Buenger did find a job recently and worked nights as a waitress at a nearby restaurant.

Authorities said if they did not find relatives in the area, the Buenger's four children, ranging from third grade to a sophomore in high school, would be turned over to the Illinois Dept. of Children and Family Services.

While Howlett announced he resigned from the post, he was quick to point out that he does not believe the situation represents a conflict of interest. He said Sun Steel and the M.S. Kaplan Co. Inc., which owns 55 per cent of Sun Steel, never did any business with state.

Hu said he performed labor and sales consulting for the company during the period he served as state auditor and later as secretary of state.

HOWLETT SAID he did not seek any clients for the company after he was elected to public office. He also said to the best of his knowledge none of the clients he advised Sun Steel on did business with the state. Howlett declined to name the sales clients.

Howlett called the campaign and income disclosures "a key issue in the campaign."

He also criticized Walker for not releasing the contributors to his 1972 campaign.

Walker aides revealed early Tuesday Walker would make the contributors list public soon.

"Gov. Walker and his people would have you believe there is a question when I receive \$15,000 from a company which does no business whatsoever with the state. But they do not believe there is a conflict when Dan Walker asks for and gets \$2 million from people doing business with agencies he controls.

Howlett also released a statement which reported his net worth at \$78,500, including \$29,000 in state pension funds, \$26,000 in life insurance and \$12,000 equity in a house in Long Beach, Ind. He also revealed he lost \$8,000 on the sale of a home in Chicago in 1975.

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By Marshall Olsen

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Howlett puts self into new controversy

by STEVE BROWN
Aides to embattled Sec. of State Michael J. Howlett told The Herald Tuesday that the Democratic gubernatorial candidate ignored advice against lumping his income disclosures with the announcement he was quitting his \$15,000-a-year outside job.

The outcome was that Howlett has opened a new controversy with the disclosure he declared \$100,000 in campaign contributions as personal income in 1974 even though the gov-

ernment does not consider campaign funds as taxable income.

Howlett was attempting to "clear the air" over his job with the Sun Steel Co. during a press conference at the Bismarck Hotel, but much of the questioning surrounded Howlett's tax returns.

WHILE EXPLAINING why he resigned from the \$15,000-a-year consulting post with Sun Steel, Howlett also disclosed his net worth and showed reporters his 1974 income tax returns.

Aides said after the press conference they advised Howlett not to link the two matters together.

"I think it cleared the air, but it looks like it opened a whole new can of worms," one adviser said.

At issue was Howlett's 1974 income tax return which included \$100,000 he received as campaign contributions. Howlett declared the contributions as personal income. He said he was advised by Chicago lawyer Harold Bernstein to declare the contributions as personal income.

ACCORDING TO Internal Revenue Service regulations, politicians are not required to declare campaign contributions as income unless the money was used for personal expenses.

"I used the \$100,000 to pay back taxes, I did not use it for personal expenses. My tax counsel advised me to pay the taxes, it did not have anything to do with the IRS. It was put into the campaign fund. All I did was what my tax counsel told me to do," Howlett said.

Howlett said he used \$75,000 of the

amount to repay a loan he made during his 1972 campaign for secretary of state. Howlett said he borrowed the money from Nationwide Acceptance Corp.

He said the remaining \$25,000 was used to pay taxes on the loan, retire other debts and subsequent political opportunities.

HOWLETT DECLINED to offer any specifics on how the \$100,000 was used.

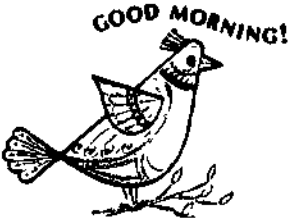
"I have made the greatest dis-

closure ever made by any public official," Howlett said.

Howlett said he will disclose his 1973 campaign contributions in the near future.

He did produce a list of persons who purchased tickets to fund-raising events in Chicago and Springfield in 1974. The money raised in the events was used to pay off the loans, Howlett said.

The 1974 tax return Howlett allowed reporters to review did not include the (Continued on Page 6)



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Taste of spring disappears

Do not prepare your winter coat and galoshes for mothballs quite yet. Spring IS NOT right around the corner.

Following an official high of 60 degrees Tuesday, the U. S. Weather Service forecast high temperatures in the lower 30s today with north winds gusting between 10 and 15 miles per hour.

Tuesday's mid-afternoon forecast said the Chicago area would be under a partly cloudy sky today but with very little chance of measurable precipitation.

Temperatures will drop into the upper teens or lower 20s tonight, then remain cold and dry on Thursday.

The Weather Service forecast no measurable amount of precipitation until Friday when, a spokesman said, it would probably be a light shower.

Tuesday's 60-degree high fell three degrees short of the Chicago area record set Feb. 10, 1876.

Isolated cases of flu reported in schools

by KURT BAER

Isolated outbreaks of influenza have hit hard at some area schools.

Health officials, however, still say they are hoping this winter will wind up as one of the mildest flu seasons in recent years.

St. Stephen School, Des Plaines, was closed Tuesday with eight of the school's 14 teachers and 70 of 318 students reported out with the flu.

Prospect Heights Dist. 23 also reported numerous flu-related absences.

"There are many, many children and some teachers out because of the flu," said Carol Weinberg, one of two nurses in Dist. 23. From a total enrollment of 1,705 students, 137 elementary children and 48 junior high school students were absent Tuesday. Ten of the district's 93 teachers also were reported sick.

"There seems to be two kinds of flu. The first makes the person much sicker — fever, cough and sore throat. The second, a stomach flu, seems to be of shorter duration. Some children have had both," Mrs. Weinberg said.

Jill Barthel, supervisory nurse for Elk Grove Township Dist. 59, reported a number of flu-like illnesses in district schools.

"We usually have a period when we have a number of students absent because of high fevers or flu. We seem to be going through

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Installation to cost \$50,000

Village OKs new traffic lights

The Elk Grove Village Board Tuesday night voted to proceed with the installation of traffic lights at the intersection of Lively Boulevard and Higgins Road. The installation will cost \$50,000.

At the same time, the board said it did not yet have a solution to traffic problems at the intersection of Landmeier Road and Wildwood Drive.

The board voted 4-2 to go ahead with the Lively-Higgins project, de-

spite the unavailability of the normal two-thirds state funding. Trustees Theodore Staddler and George T. Spees voted against the traffic signals. Prior to the vote, Robert Freeman, 211 Basswood Dr., asked the board to reconsider the installation of some kind of traffic control at the Landmeier-Wildwood intersection.

He suggested a three-way stop as a minimal control.

Freeman said he could not see

spending \$50,000 at Lively-Higgins if the village could not at least put up the three-way stop in his neighborhood.

HE SAID pedestrians and motorists have problems getting from Wildwood onto Landmeier, especially at rush hour.

Village Pres. Charles J. Zettek told Freeman "We've just never been able to come up with an approach that is plausible."

He said a major concern is the effect a traffic control at Landmeier-Wildwood would have on the nearby intersection of Landmeier and Tonne roads.

Zettek said the board's concern is that traffic might back up, blocking Tonne Road and the Landmeier fire station exit.

Trustee Edward W. Kenna Jr. said traffic signals at both intersections were suggested and rejected by the board. "It's \$130,000 to solve a problem 1½ hours a day. I can't see it."

TRUSTEE Nanci L. Vanderweel said the board would continue to search for a solution.

In voting for the Lively-Higgins signals, Trustee Michael Tosto said, "We've had 12 accidents a year at that intersection."

Staddler, voting against the signals, said he felt the state should pay its share because state officials said the signals were needed. Mrs. Vanderweel said, "I don't like the idea that we have to fund the entire cost, but we have had some tragedies there."

The Illinois Dept. of Transportation has said it has no money available for the Lively-Higgins signals.

By the same 4-2 split vote, the board approved hiring Warren and Van Prague Inc., at a cost of \$3,900, to design the project.

Dist. 54 voters rap referendum

The complaint most frequently voiced by Schaumburg Township Dist. 54 residents Tuesday night concerning Saturday's tax referendum was they have not been told what will happen to the educational program if the referendum fails.

Many questions were asked of the administration and board members at an open meeting at Eisenhower Junior High, 800 W. Hassell Rd., Schaumburg, but none so loudly as "Why has the board not presented any alternatives to raising the taxes?"

The three-part tax referendum will ask voters to increase their tax rate 30 cents from \$1.61 to \$1.91 in the education fund; to increase the rate in the operations fund 17.5 cents from 37.5 to 55 cents; and to approve \$350,000 to complete financing of a permanent administration center.

BOARD MEMBER Edward Bedard said the board decided to go for the referendum and ask voters whether they want to pay more taxes and keep the programs they have, or defeat the referendum and make some cuts in district programs.

But some taxpayers Tuesday night said they wanted more specific information. Some said they would have favored the board preparing a list of items which may have to be cut if the education fund portion of the referendum fails.

"Don't you feel the homeowner

should know what we're paying for?" one resident asked. "Don't you think we should know what programs might be cut out? There might be some programs that we really don't like."

"The board could have spent a couple of months examining their expenditures," resident Bill Poerstel said. "If you lose this referendum, it could be because these questions (what cuts could be made) have not been answered."

BEDARD SAID THE board decided to schedule the referendum for February instead of later in the year so if the referendum is defeated the board would have time to make adjustments in the program for 1976-77.

"You can't make program cuts quickly," Bedard said. Using a business analogy, he said, "our projections show that we are going to be spending more to build our product than to sell it. When do we raise prices? Next year? We're saying we will do what we can to spend each buck as well as we can. We'll either cut the quality or cut the price."

One resident suggested the administration use the \$700,000 already available to finance the construction of a new administration center to renovate Blackhawk School, 370 Illinois Blvd., Hoffman Estates, and use that facility (Continued on Page 6)

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CROSS COUNTRY SKI lessons are offered by the Elk Grove Park District. Instructor Dick Spirek and student Kitty Pelletreau check equipment before a lesson at Lions Park, 180 Kennedy Blvd. The district also uses an adjoining forest preserve.

Father of four kills wife, shoots self, police report

A Hanover Park man allegedly shot and killed his wife Tuesday, then critically wounded himself in what police said was an apparent murder and attempted suicide.

The incident occurred about 10:25 a.m. at the Raymond Buenger home, 1501 Cypress Ct., police said.

Nancy Buenger, 33, mother of four, was killed by two gunshots to the head and one to the chest. She was pronounced dead at Alexian Brothers Medical Center, Elk Grove Village.

BUENGER, 35, was listed in critical condition Tuesday night in the in-

tensive care unit of the hospital. He suffered a gunshot wound to the head.

Police said they were called to the Buenger house to investigate a report of a domestic disturbance with shots being fired. The Buengers were found lying in the kitchen of the bilevel home by police.

Both Buenger and his wife's wounds were inflicted by the same weapon, a .38-caliber handgun, police said. Two of four Buenger children were in the home at the time of the shootings, and assistant Cook County state's attor-

neys were questioning them Tuesday night.

Further details about the incident were not available pending investigation by the state's attorney's office.

The Buenger family was aided by Northwest suburbanites in December after the family was included on a list of needy families by Schaumburg Township officials. These families usually receive turkeys and other holiday footstuffs collected by civic groups.

AREA RESIDENTS offered Christ-

mas trees and presents for the family following a Herald story outlining the family's struggle to make ends meet while living on township general-assistance funds.

Neighbors said Tuesday they did not know much about the Buengers because the couple did not socialize with the people in the neighborhood. One woman said the Buengers "kept to themselves."

Georgia Radosta, who has lived next door to the family for 12 years, said neighbors "left them alone" be-

cause of the problems the Buengers were experiencing.

During an interview with a Herald reporter last December, Mrs. Buenger traced the family's problems back to an auto accident in June 1975. After that incident and the father's inability to work full time at a tool and die making job, Buenger suffered a nervous breakdown, Mrs. Buenger had said.

SINCE HIS BREAKDOWN, Buenger was in and out of the mental health unit at Alexian Brothers Medical Cen-

ter, she said. A spokesman for the hospital Tuesday confirmed Buenger had been treated there in the past.

Because of financial and medical problems the family was forced to go to Schaumburg Township for general assistance funds to buy necessities.

Mrs. Buenger went into training as a nursing assistant at Sherman Hospital, Elgin, but lost that job when she had to spend a week in a nearby hospital for tests.

In December, she said, "I'm laughing on the outside, but there have (Continued on Page 6)

Village just too big

'Almost Anything Goes' hope gone for Palatine

by LUISA GINETTI

Picture it: Palatine Village Pres. Wendell E. Jones sliding down a banister toward a pool of water, trying to sink a basketball in a hoop along the way, with thousands of cheering Palatine residents rooting him on.

Or Trustees Philip E. Stern and Richard W. Fonte catching catapulted cantaloupes tossed to them by fellow trustees Fred Zajonc and Bryan T. Coughlin, with Trustee Robert Guss providing the coaching.

Sound absurd? Well, Trustee James L. Shaw thinks it's a great idea. And so do the producers of a new game show called "Almost Anything Goes," which pits local towns against each other in zany stunts, all depicted in living color aboard the airwaves of ABC-TV.

Shaw said he thinks being on tele-



vision playing those crazy games, which are seen over the national network for one hour every Saturday

night, would be great fun.

EACH WEEK, three local towns are represented by six team members and a coach. They compete for nothing more than a trophy presented to them from host Regis Philbin and the right to go on to regional competition. If they're lucky, they can go on to the national finals.

You see it's the civic pride that the town gains from that close community spirit and camaraderie which is the real prize, at least according to Bob Banner Associates, producers of the show.

And Shaw agrees.

But alas, the story has an unhappy ending for Palatine.

It seems that only towns with populations between 3,000 and 20,000 can compete on the show. And even if Palatine met the population requirement, officials with the show said they are booked through the end of the year.

But great ideas can't be abandoned without at least some attempt at the old American give-it-a-try ethic.

As Shaw suggested, if only Palatine could disannex the Winston Park subdivision.

Municipal panel to support transfer tax enforcement

The executive board of the Northwest Municipal Conference will recommend that the 16-member group endorse legislation to enforce local real estate transfer taxes.

Executive Director William Muhlenfeld said the legislation will require the county recorder's office to withhold processing real estate transactions until a local tax payment has been verified.

Arlington Heights, Des Plaines and Hoffman Estates all have considered imposing the tax as a new source of revenue, but have dropped plans because they could get no assurance that the recorder's office would enforce the tax.

The tax would be charged to the seller of property.

The state imposes a mandatory real estate transfer tax on property sales. Chicago is the only other municipality in the county that imposes a local tax.

LOCAL OFFICIALS have said the only way to enforce payment of the tax is to get cooperation from the recorder of deed's office. Currently, the recorder's office is only legally re-

quired to enforce the state tax payment.

Suburban officials have said, however, the recorder also is enforcing the Chicago tax.

"This has been the problem all along. The recorder's office will enforce a real estate transfer tax for Chicago, but not for the Northwest suburbs," Muhlenfeld said.

The board's recommendation is to urge state legislators to enact legislation that would force the recorder's office to honor all real estate transfer taxes, he said.

"CURRENTLY, we don't have any definite sponsors for bills, but we're working on it," he said. "We hope to have something to present when the conference meets Wednesday."

The five-member executive board voted Jan. 28 to endorse the legislation.

Serving on the board are Elk Grove Village Pres. Charles Zettek, Mount Prospect Mayor Robert Teichert, Hanover Park Pres. Lou Barone, Niles Village Mgr. Ken Scheel, and Elk Grove Village Mgr. Charles Will-

Scouting news

Elk Grove Village Girl Scouts will help in the operations of Town Meeting '76, set for March 6.

Junior Scouts from Troop 895 will act as pages during the meeting. Cadettes from Troop 631 will help the Newcomers Club serve lunch and Cadettes from Troop 519 will provide babysitting for residents who attend the meeting.

A program for the children has been set up and it will include songs, games, puppet shows and movies for age two through five. Children in grades one through five will work with the cadettes on a mini-version of the town meeting.

The children also will work on a history of the village, a relief map of the village, an original logo for the youth Bicentennial and a village youth song. More information on the child-care program is available by calling Gloria Stansky at 437-0830.

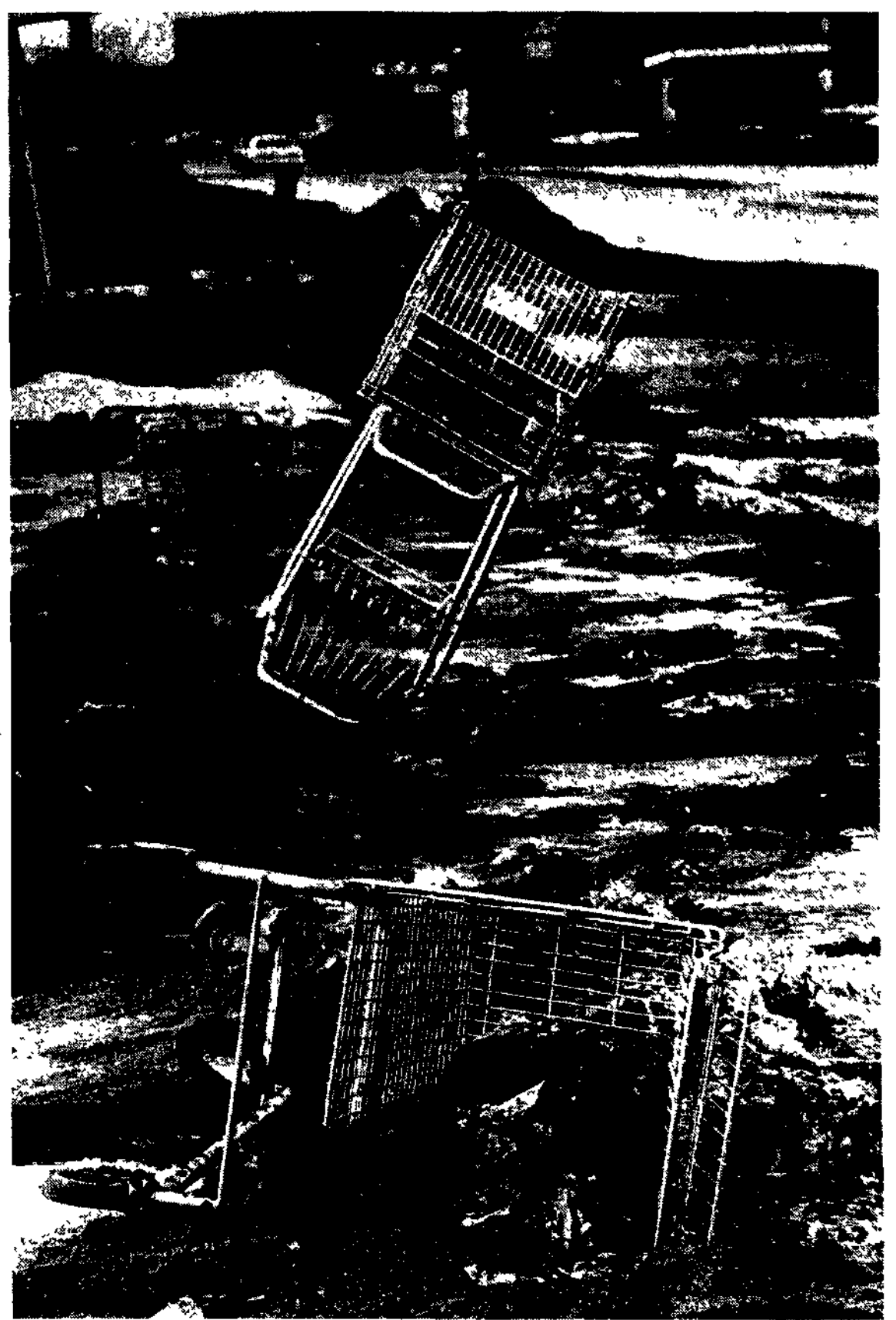
The one-day community forum will be partially funded by a grant from the Illinois Bicentennial Commission and will be sponsored locally in cooperation with the Institute of Cultural Affairs.

The Girl Scouts will hold their annual Friendship Fair Tuesday from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the Elk Grove High school fieldhouse. The theme of the community-wide program will be the Bicentennial with Cadette troop 519 dressed as famous women of America.

There will be booths with hand-crafted items for sale, entertainment and refreshments. Admission will be 10 cents.

Cadette Troop 519 will have a pizza day Feb. 28 to earn money for a June trip to Disney world. All pizzas will be made by the cadettes and orders can be placed by calling Mrs. Stansky at 437-0830 before Feb. 23.

March 7 will be Girl Scout Sunday, with all Scouts wearing their uniforms when they attend church services.



STRICKEN SURVIVORS. They were proud shopping carts, clean and shiny. But they were left outside when the winter snows struck. And as the snow melted Tuesday, this is how they looked: not so proud, not so clean, not so shiny... not much more than a bad eyesore.

Community calendar

Persons wishing to submit items should contact Diane Seibert, 439-4542, Elk Grove Junior Woman's Club, by Feb. 22 for the month of March.

TODAY

Elk Grove Sportsmen's Club, 7:30 p.m., fire station on Biesterfeld Road.

Albert Cardinal Meyer Knights of Columbus Council 5761, 8:30 p.m., Elks Club, 115 Gordon St.

Elk Grove VFW bingo, 7:15 p.m., 400 E. Devon Ave.

Elk Grove Junior Woman's Club meeting, 8 p.m., Elk Grove Village Public Library, 101 Kennedy Blvd.

Northwest Patrol Marching Band, Grove Junior High, 777 Elk Grove

Bld., 7:15 to 9:15 p.m. For more information, call Sandy Reddinger, 439-4156.

THURSDAY

Elk Grove Elks B.P.O.E. 2423 Business Meeting, 8 p.m., Elks Club, 115 Gordon St.

Knights of Columbus bingo, 7:30 p.m., Queen of the Rosary Loretta Hall, 750 Elk Grove Blvd.

Elk Grove Newcomers Club, 8 p.m., VFW, 400 E. Devon Ave. All newcomers to Elk Grove are invited.

Rotary Club of Elk Grove, 12:15 p.m., Maitre d' Restaurant, 111 E. Higgins Rd.

FRIDAY

Elk Grove Kiwanis Club, noon, Salt Creek Country Club.

Elk Grove VFW fish fry, 6 to 9 p.m., 400 E. Devon Ave.

SATURDAY

Consumer Fraud Office, 9 a.m. to noon, municipal building, 901 Wellington Ave.

SUNDAY

Elk Grove VFW bingo, 7:15 p.m., 400 E. Devon Ave.

Benefit pancake breakfast, VFW, 400 E. Devon Ave., 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. Proceeds to VFW National Home in Eaton Rapids, Mich. The benefit is a project of Michael Soja, Eagle Scout, Troop 284.

Dist. 214 term to begin prior to Labor Day

Classes will begin the Wednesday before Labor Day this year in High School Dist. 214.

The Dist. 214 Board of Education this week approved a calendar for the 1976-77 school year. The school year will begin Tuesday, Aug. 31, with an institute day for teachers. Students will report to classes Wednesday, Sept. 1.

Winter vacation will begin at the close of classes on Wednesday, Dec. 22, and classes will resume Monday, Jan. 3, 1977. The first semester will end Friday Jan. 21.

Spring vacation will begin at the close of classes Thursday, April 7, 1977, and classes will resume Monday, April 18. The last day of classes will be held Friday, June 10, 1977.

According to a report submitted to the board by the administration, the superintendents of the 10 school districts in the High School Dist. 214 and 211 area discussed the calendar and a majority preferred starting school next year before Labor Day with a shortened winter vacation.

A majority of teachers polled by the Dist. 214 Education Assn. also favored the early start with a shortened holiday break.

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Schools

Wheeling-Buffalo Grove Dist. 21

Robert James, zoologist, teacher, author and entertainer will bring a monkey, iguana, boa constrictor and other animals when he visits area schools. In his program, James promotes a love for animals, an awareness of their plight and a realistic response to animals from the children.

James will visit two schools in Wheeling today. He will be at Holmes Junior High School, 212 S. Wolf Rd., at 9 a.m. and Lenden Junior High School, 1001 W. Dundee Rd. at 1 p.m.

Students at Cooper Junior High School, 1050 W. Plum Grove Rd., Buffalo Grove will see the program Tuesday at 9 a.m.

Cooper Junior High School's concert winds will be playing 30-minute concerts of marches and popular music Wednesday for six elementary schools. The 45-member ensemble will perform for Alcott, Poe, Kilmer Irving, Riley and Longfellow schools.

Arlington Heights Dist. 25

Each class at Westgate School will make a sheet cake for a school birthday party Friday. The cakes will be assembled and decorated to represent a flag.

Students have been working on a number of Bicentennial projects. One class is planning to serve elk meat at a colonial dinner. Other projects include building a replica of the Mayflower, designing colonial clothing, making a quilt and planting red, white and blue tulips in front of the school. The school is at 1211 W. Grove St., Arlington Heights.

River Trails Dist. 26

A flower arranging demonstration by Mrs. Russell Christensen will highlight Park View School PTA's holiday salad luncheon Saturday at noon at the school, 805 Burning Bush Ln., Mount Prospect.

Mrs. Christensen is a master flower show judge and holds a life membership in the Garden Club of Illinois for her civic beautification projects. Her program will cover Japanese, modern, classical and interpretive flower arrangements.

Tickets are \$2 and sold in advance. For information contact Louise Jacobson, 827-2630.

Mount Prospect Dist. 57

"Children the challenge" will be the topic today at a parent education program at Westbrook School. The 9 a.m. meeting will be held in Room 111 of the school, 103 S. Busse Rd., Mount Prospect.

The Busse School PTA will present a Bicentennial county fair Thursday from 3:30 to 8:30 p.m. at the school, 101 N. Owen St., Mount Prospect.

Games, prizes, auctions, bake goods and entertainment will be featured at the fair. Italian beef and hot dog dinners will be available by advance tickets only.

"Happy Birthday America," a musical review by the St. James Christie Academy, will be presented Friday at Busse School, 101 N. Owen St., Mount Prospect. The public is invited to attend the 1:30 p.m. performance.

Saint James School

Chicago Bulls player Jerry Sloan and Doug Buffone of the Chicago Bears will be guests at St. James School's sports night Friday. The event will be held in the Parish Center, 820 N. Arlington Heights Rd., Arlington Heights and is sponsored by the school's Parents Club.

The St. James varsity basketball team and cheerleading squad recently were awarded the sportsmanship trophy at the St. Viator High School holiday basketball tournament.

St. Peter Lutheran School

Dr. Emanuel Cheraskin will discuss preventive medicine and nutrition at the Parent-Teacher Assn. of St. Peter Lutheran School Friday.

Dr. Cheraskin, chairman of the department of oral medicine at the University of Alabama, is the co-author of a Psychodietetics, Foods, The Key to Emotional Health.

The program at the school, 111 W. Olive St., Arlington Heights, will begin at 8 p.m. and admission is free. The program is open to all.

St. Thomas of Villanova

The community is invited to a bingo party Friday at St. Thomas of Villanova School. Doors will open at 7 p.m. and games will start at 7:30 in the Parish hall, 1141 E. Anderson Pl., Palatine.

Sacred Heart High School

A make-up placement test for prospective students will be held at Sacred Heart of Mary High School in Rolling Meadows at 8:30 a.m. Saturday.

All eighth grade girls in the area, who missed the January test, are invited to attend. Each girl is asked to bring two No. 2 pencils and a \$5 testing fee to the school.

A program explaining the freshman curriculum will be presented to prospective students and their parents in March. An appointment may be made at that time with a staff member to set up individual course selection.

High School Dist. 207

The Maine West High School music department will present its annual midwinter band concert Sunday at 3 p.m. in the school auditorium, 1755 S. Wolf Rd., Des Plaines. Admission is \$1 for adults and 75 cents for students. Golden Agers and Music Boosters cards will serve as admission passes.

The concert will feature the combined cadet and intermediate bands and the jazz and concert bands.

High School Dist. 214

The Choral League of Wheeling High School will serve an "all you can eat" spaghetti dinner Sunday from noon to 5 p.m. in the school cafeteria, 900 S. Elmhurst Rd., Wheeling.

A \$2 donation is asked for adults. Children under 6 years old are free. For information call Jo Lang, 537-1050, or JoAnne Jenkins, 537-8703.

"Kid Stuff," a program of magic acts, escape artist, clowns, games and skits will be presented Saturday by Hersey High School's Magic Club. The program will be from 12:30 to 2:30 p.m. in the school's Little Theater, 1900 E. Thomas Ave., Arlington Heights.

Tickets at 75 cents will go on sale 45 minutes before showtime at the door, or can be purchased in advance in Room 131 at the high school.

Proceeds from the program will be used to purchase materials and supplies for use in the school's math and science resource center.

Legislative allocation stands: judge

Walker wins in school aid suit

by KATHERINE BOYCE

Gov. Daniel Walker has won the first round in his suit against the Illinois Board of Education to prevent the board from paying schools more state aid per month than appropriated by the legislature.

Sangamon County Circuit Court Judge Waldo Acherman ruled in favor of the governor Tuesday. Julia Dempsey, attorney for the state board, said she will now take the case to the Illinois Appellate Court in Sangamon County.

In November, the state board voted to distribute monthly state aid to schools in an amount equal to one-twelfth of the annual amount schools are entitled to under the current state aid formula.

WALKER CUT the legislature's school appropriations by \$81 million last summer. He has since insisted the state board distribute monthly aid in an amount equal to one-twelfth the annual sum based on the reduced appropriation. When the state board refused to comply, the Governor went to court.

The judge chose a "literal reading" of the statute on state aid disbursements, said Dempsey, and would not consider past practices. For several years the state has disbursed aid according to the formula rather than the appropriation.

A bill that would have clarified the state board's power to distribute aid according to the formula died in the legislature last year. The judge ruled the matter of state aid disbursement was "more clearly" in the realm of the legislature, said Dempsey, but the judge also left the state board with the option of taking the case to the

Illinois Supreme Court.

If state aid is prorated according to the formula rather than the appropriation, schools would receive an additional \$2.5 million in state funds per month, but funds would run out before the end of the fiscal year.

THE STATE'S last payment in June would be cut between \$50 and \$70 million if the legislature does not pass a supplemental appropriation next spring.

Last month the state board gave tentative approval to its proposed edu-

cation budget, which included a request for a \$100 million supplemental appropriation from the Illinois General Assembly this spring.

Walker has opposed the request saying the state has no additional money for schools this year.

Howlett puts self in new controversy

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list of itemized deductions which Howlett claimed for the year.

THE TAX SITUATIONS marked the second controversy Howlett has started himself in the past two weeks.

Howlett told reporters he has resigned from the Sun Steel post, the firm which paid him \$225,000 since 1960, because "I do not wish to permit the campaign for governor to be diverted from the real issues."

While Howlett announced he resigned from the post, he was quick to point out that he does not believe the situation represents a conflict of interest. He said Sun Steel and the M.S. Kaplan Co. Inc., which owns 55 per cent of Sun Steel, never did any business with state.

Hu said he performed labor and sales consulting for the company during the period he served as state auditor and later as secretary of state.

HOWLETT SAID he did not seek any clients for the company after he was elected to public office. He also said to the best of his knowledge none of the clients he advised Sun Steel on

did business with the state. Howlett declined to name the sales clients.

Howlett called the campaign and income disclosures "a key issue in the campaign."

He also criticized Walker for not releasing the contributors to his 1972 campaign.

Walker aides revealed early Tuesday Walker would make the contributors list public soon.

"Gov. Walker and his people would have you believe there is a question when I receive \$15,000 from a com-

pany which does no business whatsoever with the state. But they do not believe there is a conflict when Dan Walker asks for and gets \$2 million from people doing business with agencies he controls.

Howlett also released a statement which reported his net worth at \$78,500, including \$29,000 in state pension funds, \$26,000 in life insurance and \$12,000 equity in a house in Long Beach, Ind. He also revealed he lost \$8,000 on the sale of a home in Chicago in 1975.

Father kills wife, shoots self: cops

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been nights I have cried. It hurts down deep."

At Christmas, Mrs. Buenger thought she would not have enough money to buy any gifts for the children, but after a Herald story, residents from throughout the Northwest suburbs called with promises for presents.

SHE HAD SAID she thought the financial turnabout was bringing the family closer together and things

were no longer taken for granted as they had in the past.

Mrs. Buenger did find a job recently and worked nights as a waitress at a nearby restaurant.

Authorities said if they did not find relatives in the area, the Buenger's four children, ranging from third grade to a sophomore in high school, would be turned over to the Illinois Dept. of Children and Family Services.

Mount Prospect vs. Randhurst

Rock concert outrages trustees

by LYNN ASINOF

Rock 'n' roll, which made a brief appearance at Randhurst last month, will be a short-lived phenomenon in the Northwest suburbs if Mount Prospect officials have their way.

Several village board members Monday said they were outraged about the hard rock Blue Oyster Cult concert at the Randhurst Twin Ice Arena Jan. 30.

While a review by The Herald of the concert passed from hand to hand, the trustees said they thought they had banned such hard rock concerts at Randhurst in a zoning ordinance approved last fall. Several said they wanted to prevent a repeat of the concert by enforcing the ordinance.

That ordinance says music concerts shall be limited to those which "contain no primitive harmonic progressions in a homophonic textured melody line with electronic instruments and/or contain no pornographic lyrics." The Northwestern University School of Music provided the village with this definition of "acid rock" music.

AS A RESULT of the turmoil, Village Mgr. Robert J. Eppley said he is taking steps to put an end to rock 'n' roll at Randhurst. He said this includes the Feb. 18 concert featuring rock 'n' roller Ted Nugent. About 800 tickets for this concert already have been sold.

"My intention is that there'll be no more rock concerts," Eppley said. "Now that I know what the board's meaning is, it doesn't matter how I personally feel. We're not going to have it."

A meeting to discuss the matter is set for 7:30 p.m. Thursday at the village hall, 100 S. Emerson St.

SPOKESMEN for the ice arena said the ordinance specifically prohibits "acid rock," but not the type of rock 'n' roll played by Blue Oyster Cult or Ted Nugent.

"I was there and if this is acid rock, I'm a baboon," said Thomas Hanlon, attorney for the owners of the ice arena.

Hanlon said he could not comment on the village's plans to prohibit the Ted Nugent concert, saying he had received no official word from the village.

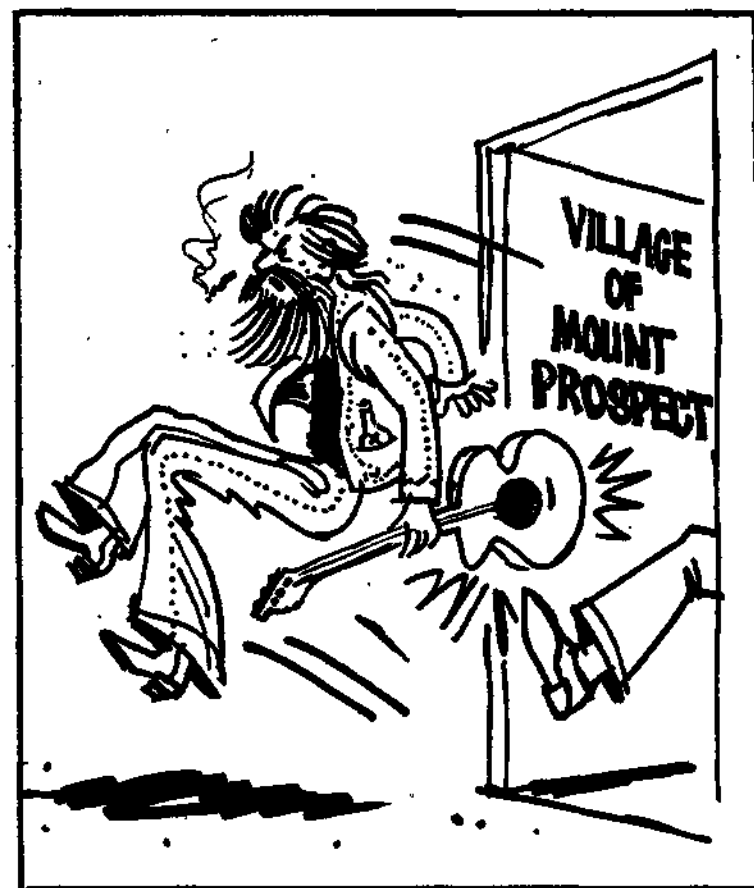
Zane Bresloff, president of Northwest Productions, which promoted the concert, said he checked the ordinance with the Northwestern University School of Music to make sure Blue Oyster Cult would comply.

'Bright Water' film slated Thursday

The Elk Grove Park District will show the movie "Ring of Bright Water" at 1 p.m. Thursday in the Grant Wood School gym, 225 Elk Grove Blvd.

Admission will be 25 cents, with popcorn and candy available for purchase.

There also will be a special open session from 2 to 5 p.m. at the Disney indoor pool. School is closed Thursday for Lincoln's birthday.



"They're just loud rock 'n' rollers," Bresloff said of the group.

BRESLOFF SAID other concerts booked include Jesse Colin Young, April 4, and a Gospel group at a later

date. He said other groups like Ferrante and Teicher are under consideration.

Trustee Edward B. Rhea Jr., one of those most incensed by the rock con-

cert, said he was upset by the marijuana smoking and drinking that reportedly took place at the performance.

"I don't care so much about the kind of music," Rhea said. "I object to the marijuana smokers and the beer drinkers."

RHEA SAID HE plans to get a police report on the performance and pursue the matter at the next board meeting.

Reports from both the police and the ice arena management show that there were few problems resulting from the concert.

"We had absolutely no trouble at all with this concert," said George Simpson, manager of the ice arena. "The five and police departments were here and were witness to that fact. We were amazed we could have 5,000 kids in this building and have no trouble."

POLICE CHIEF Ralph J. Doney said there were a few minor incidents but nothing of major importance. He said there was marijuana smoking in the audience, but that beer and liquor was confiscated at the door.

"My men felt that considering this was our first one, the concert wasn't that bad," Doney said. "We didn't have any incidents."

Bresloff said the village's attempt to end rock 'n' roll at Randhurst is depriving local teens of their rights. He said concerts are held in other towns and said the village should have some faith in the conduct of its youngsters.

"If you give the kids a chance to act like adults, they will," Bresloff said.

Consumer agency plan silly: Behrel

Des Plaines Mayor Herbert H. Behrel Tuesday said he thinks a proposal to establish a local or regional consumer protection agency is "silly."

The mayor said at his weekly press conference that he does not think such an agency is needed to supplement county, state and federal consumer groups.

"If they (the city council) want to do it, fine," Behrel said. "If it gets to the floor, I'll vote against it and probably be the only one who does. I just think it's silly. I don't really think there's a need for one."

IN RECENT weeks, city officials have discussed the possibility of organizing a local consumer agency or joining Niles and six other suburbs in a North Suburban Consumer Protection Agency. The groups would investigate consumer complaints in the member communities.

Ald. Alani Abrams, 8th, chairman of the city council's city code and judiciary committee, said he believes either a local or regional consumer agency would be more responsive than existing agencies.

The regional consumer group would be similar to a local agency established in Niles five years ago. Niles Village Clerk Frank Wagner is at-

tempting to set up the agency.

In addition to Niles and Des Plaines, officials from Mount Prospect, Glenview, Park Ridge, Skokie, Lincolnwood and Morton Grove have expressed interest in establishing a regional consumer protection agency.

WAGNER SAID the consumer agency in Niles can resolve problems faster than other agencies, and believes a regional agency would have similar success.

"The reason ours is so successful is because it is so localized," he said. "We can handle a complaint in Niles in a few days where it might take another agency weeks and weeks and

weeks to do the same thing."

Niles Mayor Nicholas Blase said six or seven suburbs could form an effective agency because most residents shop in nearby communities.

"In a survey we conducted about nine months ago, we found that 90 per cent of their (Niles residents) buying is done in the six or seven towns around here," he said.

Wagner said a regional body would be administered by a board of directors from the participating municipalities. The board would set policy, hire a staff and be responsible for the over-all operation of the agency.

Dist. 54 voters rap referendum

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for offices. Blackhawk will be closed next year.

Business Mgr. Marvin Lapicola said the administration considered converting Blackhawk into offices, but discarded the idea after determining the school would provide only 16,000 square feet of space while the space needed is about 25,000 square feet. He

also said parking would not be adequate for the more than 75 administration employees who would be housed in a new center.

Lapicola said the cost to each taxpayer would be less than \$1 to finance a new administration center. He said a center is badly needed "to bring together the thoughts and actions" of an administration now split into three areas throughout the district.

Howlett puts self into new controversy

by STEVE BROWN
Aides to embattled Sec. of State Michael J. Howlett told The Herald Tuesday that the Democratic gubernatorial candidate ignored advice against lumping his income disclosures with the announcement he was quitting his \$15,000-a-year outside job.

The outcome was that Howlett has opened a new controversy with the disclosure he declared \$100,000 in campaign contributions as personal income in 1974 even though the gov-

ernment does not consider campaign funds as taxable income.

Howlett was attempting to "clear the air" over his job with the Sun Steel Co. during a press conference at the Bismarck Hotel, but much of the questioning surrounded Howlett's tax returns.

WHILE EXPLAINING why he resigned from the \$15,000-a-year consulting post with Sun Steel, Howlett also disclosed his net worth and showed reporters his 1974 income tax returns.

Aides said after the press conference they advised Howlett not to link the two matters together.

"I think it cleared the air, but it looks like it opened a whole new can of worms," one adviser said.

At issue was Howlett's 1974 income tax return which included \$100,000 he received as campaign contributions. Howlett declared the contributions as personal income. He said he was advised by Chicago lawyer Harold Bernstein to declare the contributions as personal income.

ACCORDING TO Internal Revenue Service regulations, politicians are not required to declare campaign contributions as income unless the money was used for personal expenses.

"I used the \$100,000 to pay back taxes, I did not use it for personal expenses. My tax counsel advised me to pay the taxes, it did not have anything to do with the IRS. It was put into the campaign fund. All I did was what my tax counsel told me to do," Howlett said.

Howlett said he used \$75,000 of the

amount to repay a loan he made during his 1972 campaign for secretary of state. Howlett said he borrowed the money from Nationwide Acceptance Corp.

He said the remaining \$25,000 was used to pay taxes on the loan, retire other debts and subsequent political opportunities.

HOWLETT DECLINED to offer any specifics on how the \$100,000 was used.

"I have made the greatest dis-

closure ever made by any public official," Howlett said.

Howlett said he will disclose his 1973 campaign contributions in the near future.

He did produce a list of persons who purchased tickets to fund-raising events in Chicago and Springfield in 1974. The money raised in the events was used to pay off the loans, Howlett said.

The 1974 tax return Howlett allowed reporters to review did not include the

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THURSDAY: Partly cloudy. High mid 30s.

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Taste of spring disappears

Do not prepare your winter coat and galoshes for mothballs quite yet. Spring IS NOT right around the corner.

Following an official high of 60 degrees Tuesday, the U. S. Weather Service forecast high temperatures in the lower 30s today with north winds gusting between 10 and 15 miles per hour.

Tuesday's mid-afternoon forecast said the Chicago area would be under a partly cloudy sky today but with very little chance of measurable precipitation.

Temperatures will drop into the upper teens or lower 20s tonight, then remain cold and dry on Thursday.

The Weather Service forecast no measurable amount of precipitation until Friday when, a spokesman said, it would probably be a light shower.

Tuesday's 60-degree high fell three degrees short of the Chicago area record set Feb. 10, 1876.

Isolated cases of flu reported in schools

by KURT BAER

Isolated outbreaks of influenza have hit hard at some area schools.

Health officials, however, still say they are hoping this winter will wind up as one of the mildest flu seasons in recent years.

St. Stephen School, Des Plaines, was closed Tuesday with eight of the school's 14 teachers and 70 of 318 students reported out with the flu.

Prospect Heights Dist. 23 also reported numerous flu-related absences.

"There are many, many children and some teachers out because of the flu," said Carol Weinberg, one of two nurses in Dist. 23. From a total enrollment of 1,705 students, 137 elementary children and 48 junior high school students were absent Tuesday. Ten of the district's 93 teachers also were reported sick.

"There seems to be two kinds of flu. The first makes the person much sicker — fever, cough and sore throat. The second, a stomach flu, seems to be of shorter duration. Some children have had both," Mrs. Weinberg said.

Jill Barthel, supervisory nurse for Elk Grove Township Dist. 59, reported a number of flu-like illnesses in district schools.

"We usually have a period when we have a number of students absent because of high fevers or flu. We seem to be going through

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Residents ask, 'Why a tax hike?'

Referendum rapped in Dist. 54

The complaint most frequently voiced by Schaumburg Township Dist. 54 residents Tuesday night concerning Saturday's tax referendum was they have not been told what will happen to the educational program if the referendum fails.

Many questions were asked of the administration and board members at an open meeting at Eisenhower Junior High, 800 W. Hassell Rd., Schaumburg, but none so loudly as "Why has the board not presented any alternatives to raising the taxes?"

The three-part tax referendum will ask voters to increase their tax rate 30 cents from \$1.61 to \$1.91 in the education fund; to increase the rate in the operations fund 17.5 cents from 37.5 to 55 cents; and to approve \$390,000 to complete financing of a permanent administration center.

BOARD MEMBER Edward Bedard said the board decided to go for the referendum and ask voters whether they want to pay more taxes and keep the programs they have, or defeat the referendum and make some cuts in district programs.

But some taxpayers Tuesday night said they wanted more specific information. Some said they would have favored the board preparing a list of items which may have to be cut if the education fund portion of the referendum fails.

"Don't you feel the homeowner should know what we're paying for?" one resident asked. "Don't you think we should know what programs might be cut out? There might be some programs that we really don't like."

"The board could have spent a couple of months examining their expenditures," resident Bill Foerstel

said. "If you lose this referendum, it could be because these questions (what cuts could be made) have not been answered."

BEDARD SAID THE board decided to schedule the referendum for February instead of later in the year so if the referendum is defeated the board would have time to make adjustments in the program for 1976-77.

"You can't make program cuts quickly," Bedard said. Using a business analogy, he said, "our projections show that we are going to be spending more to build our product than to sell it. When do we raise prices? Next year? We're saying we will do what we can to spend each buck as well as we can. We'll either cut the quality or cut the price."

One resident suggested the administration use the \$760,000 already available to finance the construction of a

new administration center to renovate Blackhawk School, 370 Illinois Blvd., Hoffman Estates, and use that facility for offices. Blackhawk will be closed next year.

Business Mgr. Marvin Lopicola said the administration considered converting Blackhawk into offices, but discarded the idea after determining the school would provide only 16,000 square feet of space while the space needed is about 25,000 square feet. He also said parking would not be adequate for the more than 75 administration employees who would be housed in a new center.

Lopicola said the cost to each taxpayer would be less than \$1 to finance a new administration center. He said a center is badly needed "to bring together the thoughts and actions" of an administration now split into three areas throughout the district.

Civic affairs the key to his life in U.S.

by PAT GERLACH

When Malik Parkash left his native India in 1958 to study in the United States he had every intention of eventually returning home.

Political changes in India altered those plans, but the move didn't discourage Parkash from getting involved in civic affairs in his new home, Schaumburg.

Parkash is the founder of the Lancer Park Homeowners' Assn., formed six years ago when Parkash moved to the village.

He settled in Schaumburg after obtaining a degree in social and industrial relations from Loyola University.

EARLIER, WHILE studying metallurgical engineering at the Missouri School of Mines, Rolla, Mo., Parkash made his decision to remain in the United States.

"In corresponding back and forth with my parents, it became apparent things had changed in India. It had become such that if you were not involved in politics there, you just couldn't get a job. That was not for me," he explained.

A quiet but social type of man, Parkash admits to his tendency to be a "joiner." He is professionally active as a member of the board of directors of the American Foundrymen's Assn. in addition to his job at Pettibone Corp., Chicago.

Recently Parkash retired as an officer and member of the board of directors of the Lancer Park Homeowners Assn., which he founded soon after



MALIK PARKASH came to the United States in 1958 planning to complete his education and return home to India. Nearly 18 years later, he is a businessman who has taken an active role in Schaumburg. Parkash believes "hard work is the only way to make it in life."

moving to the village six years ago.

PARKASH SAID HE "got active right away" after settling in Schaumburg. He attributes his sense of civic involvement to a personal feeling of "always wanting to help others."

"I guess I was brought up not to take advantage of persons or situations and to try to make my own contribution," said the amiable Parkash.

"The homeowners association was started primarily to keep the area beautiful and for the sake of our children," Parkash said, with a nod toward his raven-haired, and 1-year-old daughters.

The homeowners association has

successfully battled several high-rise, high-density developments planned near the well-manicured Lancer Park neighborhood of \$60,000 and \$70,000 houses.

"We have never objected to this type of development in the proper areas of the village. Along Higgins or Golf roads or in the Woodfield area they would have been ideal, but not in purely residential parts of town," Parkash said.

EVEN THOUGH PARKASH doesn't plan to remain as active with the association as he has in the past, he says he will never veer "that far

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Father of four kills wife, shoots self, police report

A Hanover Park man allegedly shot and killed his wife Tuesday, then critically wounded himself in what police said was an apparent murder and attempted suicide.

The incident occurred about 10:25 a.m. at the Raymond Buenger home, 1501 Cypress Ct., police said.

Nancy Buenger, 33, mother of four, was killed by two gunshots to the head and one to the chest. She was pronounced dead at Alexian Brothers Medical Center, Elk Grove Village.

BUENGER, 35, was listed in critical condition Tuesday night in the in-

tensive care unit of the hospital. He suffered a gunshot wound to the head.

Police said they were called to the Buenger house to investigate a report of a domestic disturbance with shots being fired. The Buengers were found lying in the kitchen of the bilevel home by police.

Both Buenger and his wife's wounds were inflicted by the same weapon, a .38-caliber handgun, police said. Two of four Buenger children were in the home at the time of the shootings, and assistant Cook County state's attor-

neys were questioning them Tuesday night.

Further details about the incident were not available pending investigation by the state's attorney's office.

The Buenger family was aided by Northwest suburbanites in December after the family was included on a list of needy families by Schaumburg Township officials. These families usually receive turkeys and other holiday footstuffs collected by civic groups.

AREA RESIDENTS offered Christ-

mas trees and presents for the family following a Herald story outlining the family's struggle to make ends meet while living on township general-assistance funds.

Neighbors said Tuesday they did not know much about the Buengers because the couple did not socialize with the people in the neighborhood. One woman said the Buengers "kept to themselves."

Georgia Radosta, who has lived next door to the family for 12 years, said neighbors "left them alone" be-

cause of the problems the Buengers were experiencing.

During an interview with a Herald reporter last December, Mrs. Buenger traced the family's problems back to an auto accident in June 1975. After that incident and the father's inability to work full time at a tool and die making job, Buenger suffered a nervous breakdown, Mrs. Buenger had said.

SINCE HIS BREAKDOWN, Buenger was in and out of the mental health unit at Alexian Brothers Medical Cen-

ter, she said. A spokesman for the hospital Tuesday confirmed Buenger had been treated there in the past.

Because of financial and medical problems the family was forced to go to Schaumburg Township for general assistance funds to buy necessities.

Mrs. Buenger went into training as a nursing assistant at Sherman Hospital, Elgin, but lost that job when she had to spend a week in a nearby hospital for tests.

In December, she said, "I'm laughing on the outside, but there have

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Sewer contract OK, court rules; work to continue

Cook County Circuit Court Judge Helen McGillicuddy Tuesday denied a petition asking the court to rule a \$118,042 Schaumburg sewer contract invalid.

Village Atty. Jack M. Siegel told the village board of local improvements DiPaola Construction, Morton Grove, asked the court to set aside a contract ordered last month to Scully Hunter and Scully, Schaumburg.

The contractor, Siegel said, contended Scully Hunter and Scully submitted estimates based on the use of asbestos cement rather than clay as specified for the job.

The construction program will extend sanitary sewer lines from Schaumburg Road on village property west through 120 acres owned by William Lambert. The system will also serve Applegate Terrace, a 38-acre

Roselle Road rental complex, and a 56-acre development on land west of Roselle Road, owned by Paul Rosenwinkles.

THE WORK WILL be paid for by a court supervised special assessment to be levied over 10 years against the property owners benefiting from the improvement.

Siegel said representatives of DiPaola believed their bid of \$124,000 for clay material was actually the low quote and contend bids for alternate materials should not have been considered.

"However, Judge McGillicuddy said, either material appears appropriate and recommended the village proceed with the contract which has already been awarded," Siegel said.

Scully Hunter and Scully is owned by Neal Hunter, president of Lancer Corp., developers of Schaumburg's Lancer Park subdivision.

The notebook

St. Theresa School

A walking tour of St. Theresa School will be held today at 8 p.m. as part of the school's observance of Catholic Education Week this week.

The Rev. John Edward Linman, CSV, will conduct the tour and share his views on Catholic education. After Father Linman's tour, students from fifth and sixth grade will present their ideas on the nation's Bicentennial in song and narrative readings. The school is located at 445 N. Benton St., Palatine.

Students, teachers and parents at St. Theresa will spend the week celebrating the meaning of Catholic education. The theme for the week is "A Declaration of Interdependence," as a reminder that Catholic schools have grown side by side with the nation.

Reunions

The January and June 1966 classes of Lindblom High School are planning a 20th reunion. Classmates not yet contacted are asked to call Tony Pavia, 894-1660 or Dolores Kerrill Pitts, 392-8536.

Foreman High School class of 1966 is holding its 10th reunion at Pary Villa, 2300 N. Narragansett, Chicago, on April 10. For information and reservations contact Nancee Fortunato Blank at 692-5405 before Feb. 28.

Scholarships

The PTA of Churchill School, 1520 N. Jones Rd., Schaumburg, is offering a \$200 scholarship to a senior at Hoffman Estates High School.

For applications and information students should contact Daniel Yokas in the guidance office at the high school before March 19.

The award will be presented to the winning student at Churchill School's April PTA meeting.

Local scene

Parks tour Feb. 18

A Feb. 18 tour of the American Furniture Mart will be sponsored by Schaumburg Park District as part of its Women on the Go program.

Lunch will be provided at the Mart and approximately one and one-half hours will be spent touring model rooms, show rooms and viewing a film on design.

Deadline for registration is noon Saturday at Meineke Community Center, 220 E. Weathersfield Way.

The fee is \$9.50 for Schaumburg Park District residents and \$11.50 for others.

A bus will leave Meineke Center at 10:30 a.m. on the day of the tour. Stops will be made to pick up passengers at 10:45 a.m. at Jennings Center, 220 S. Civic Dr. at 10:50 a.m. at Weathersfield Commons Quadros and 10:55 a.m. at Weathersfield Lake Quadros.

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away from things" in Schaumburg.

Last year Parkash worked in the formation of a second village political party, Schaumburg Citizens for Planned Progress. The group ran a full slate of candidates in last year's municipal election, hoping to wrest at least several village board seats from the incumbent Schaumburg United Party.

"We didn't succeed, but we made a good start and intend to remain active and build the party," said Parkash, who believes a two-party system is "healthy" in Schaumburg.

In his student days in Rolla, Parkash said he lived in a medical fraternity house because he knew some of the students there. "Wouldn't you know it, before long I found myself active in the medical fraternity," he said, and laughed.

And when Parkash met Sandy, the young pharmacist who later became his wife, he didn't waste any time.

"I PROPOSED TO HER after the second date, and after three months told her there was no sense to the relationship unless we were to marry," Parkash said, explaining that in India love is believed to begin after marriage.

"Marriage is a different institution there. Here in this country love has a tendency to fall off after a while, but back in India once you are married it is for life," he said.

Parkash subscribes to the Hindu religious belief that life begins after death. "I'm never afraid to go, but I think that if you come to life you must make the best of it," he said.

Parkash says if he were to live his life over again he would become a doctor, "not for the money I would earn, but for the help I could provide to people."

And Parkash said he would like to see his daughters, Pamela, a kindergarten, and Shari Dawn, who is just learning to walk, both become physicians, "but their future is up to them."

Parkash said he believes "hard work" is the key to success. "America is one of the greatest countries a man can desire to live in. There are a lot of opportunities, but you have to look for them, they won't knock at your door. But, if you are sincere, you will achieve your dream," he said.

Cowin raps Hoffman ethics code

Hoffman Estates Trustee William Cowin will attempt to persuade judicial committee trustees to reconsider their endorsement of a proposed ethics code.

The code, based on an ordinance adopted in Palatine in 1974, was approved by the committee Monday in a 3-4-1 vote despite Cowin's opposition. The village board has yet to vote on the matter.

"They (trustees) haven't had the chance to look it over very carefully," Cowin said. "I believe there are deficiencies in it that need work."

COWIN has criticized in particular the ordinance's restrictions on Realtors. Cowin, a self-employed real estate agent, said the restrictions are "impossible to live with."

The restrictions include a requirement that real estate brokers on village boards or commissions sign statements that they will not accept income that is in any way connected to the sale of property pending before the village for zoning or other action. It also requires that brokers refrain from deriving income from sales involving property for a year after village action on the property.

"Why finger real estate? Why not other professions, such as insurance?" he said.

Cowin said "no one was in real estate" in the 1968 village scandal when six former village officials took bribes

to zone the Barrington Square development.

COWIN SAID he has lost some business because of his public office when he proposed the village's utility tax. "They have looked at the utility tax and said, 'Another crook.'"

He said his official status could also bring him business in some instances which he said would "hopefully offset" the losses.

Trustee Jeanne Pavey, who advocated full support of the Palatine ordinance, said Tuesday the real estate clauses were necessary because "this is a very vulnerable area."

"I would think he (Cowin) would want to have the code for his own sake, so there would be no question (on property transactions)," Mrs. Pavey said.

THE REAL ESTATE area is one of offering "the greatest opportunity" for misuse by public officials, Mrs. Pavey said.

She added she would not hesitate to sign the ordinance, but "it is a sad commentary on the state of confidence in elected officials."

Village Pres. Virginia Hayter, who proposed the ordinance, said the ethics ordinance was important in light of "past history."

"The two former mayors and four trustees (involved in the 1968 Barrington Square scandal) who have negated the public trust placed in them says nothing for those holding these

Municipal panel to support transfer tax enforcement

The executive board of the Northwest Municipal Conference will recommend that the 16-member group endorse legislation to enforce local real estate transfer taxes.

Executive Director William Muhlenfeld said the legislation will require the county recorder's office to withhold processing real estate transactions until a local tax payment has been verified.

Arlington Heights, Des Plaines and Hoffman Estates all have considered imposing the tax as a new source of revenue, but have dropped plans because they could get no assurance that the recorder's office would enforce the tax.

The tax would be charged to the seller of property.

The state imposes a mandatory real estate transfer tax on property sales. Chicago is the only other municipality in the county that imposes a local tax.

LOCAL OFFICIALS have said the only way to enforce payment of the tax is to get cooperation from the recorder of deed's office. Currently, the recorder's office is only legally required to enforce the state tax payment.

Suburban officials have said, however, the recorder also is enforcing the Chicago tax.

"This has been the problem all along. The recorder's office will enforce a real estate transfer tax for

Youth Government Day

The Hoffman Estates Youth Commission will sponsor the 10th annual Youth in Government Day May 3.

Conant, Hoffman Estates and Fremd high school seniors from social science classes will be participants in the program, which puts students in the roles of public officials for a day.

The purpose of the project is to increase youth awareness of local government through an understanding of its operation.

Activities planned so far include a luncheon and a guest speaker. Details will be announced at a later date.

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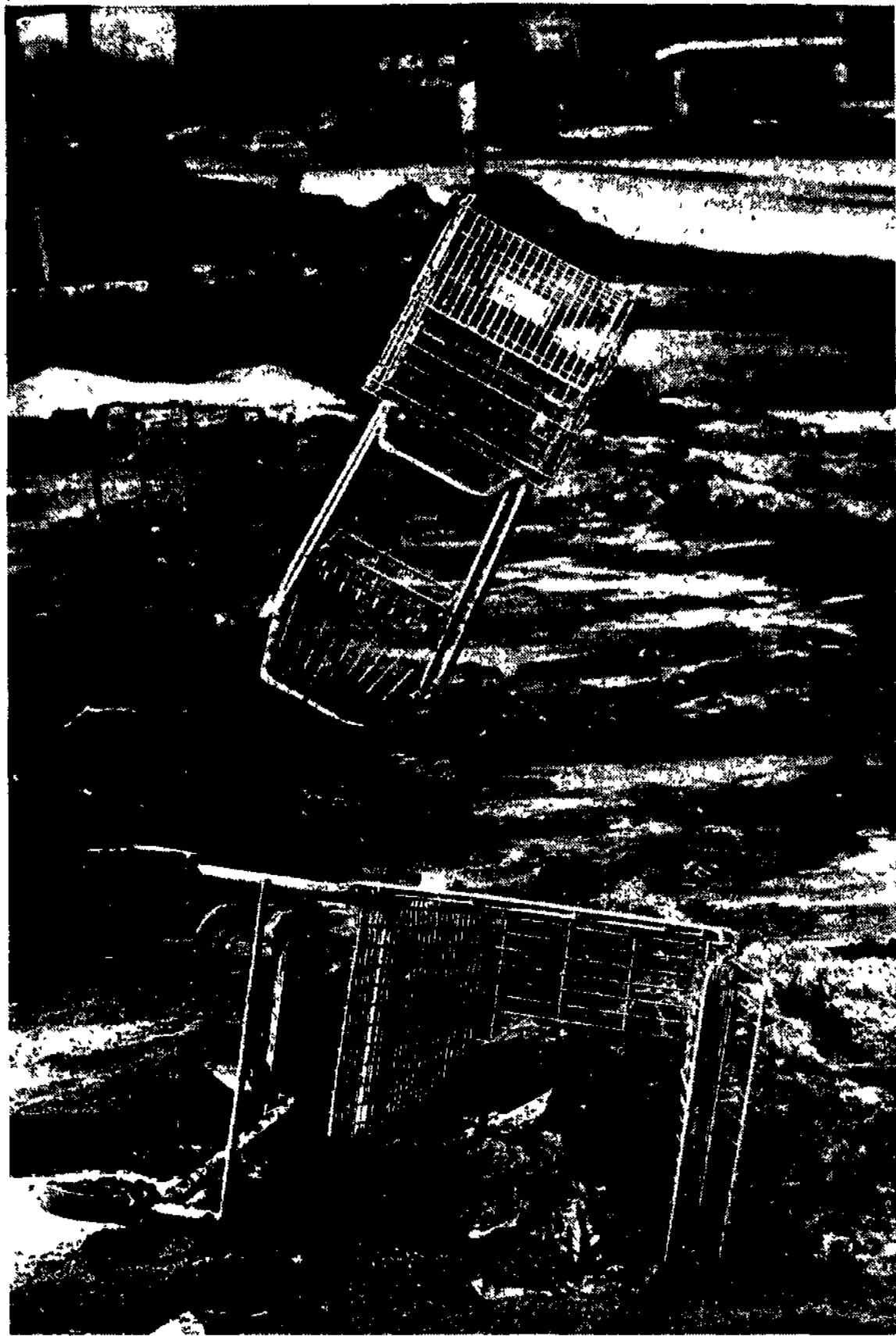
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Howlett puts self in new controversy

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list of itemized deductions which Howlett claimed for the year.

THE TAX SITUATIONS marked the second controversy Howlett has started himself in the past two weeks.

Howlett told reporters he has resigned from the Sun Steel post, the firm which paid him \$225,000 since 1960, because "I do not wish to permit the campaign for governor to be diverted from the real issues."

While Howlett announced he resigned from the post, he was quick to point out that he does not believe the situation represents a conflict of interest. He said Sun Steel and the M.S. Kaplan Co. Inc., which owns 55 per cent of Sun Steel, never did any business with state.

Hu said he performed labor and sales consulting for the company during the period he served as state auditor and later as secretary of state.

HOWLETT SAID he did not seek any clients for the company after he was elected to public office. He also said to the best of his knowledge none of the clients he advised Sun Steel on

did business with the state. Howlett declined to name the sales clients.

Howlett called the campaign and income disclosures "a key issue in the campaign."

He also criticized Walker for not releasing the contributors to his 1972 campaign.

Walker aides revealed early Tuesday Walker would make the contributors list public soon.

"Gov. Walker and his people would have you believe there is a question when I receive \$15,000 from a com-

pany which does no business whatsoever with the state. But they do not believe there is a conflict when Dan Walker asks for and gets \$2 million from people doing business with agencies he controls.

Howlett also released a statement which reported his net worth at \$78,500, including \$29,000 in state pension funds, \$26,000 in life insurance and \$12,000 equity in a house in Long Beach, Ind. He also revealed he lost \$8,000 on the sale of a home in Chicago in 1975.

Father kills wife, shoots self: cops

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been nights I have cried. It hurts down deep."

At Christmas, Mrs. Buenger thought she would not have enough money to buy any gifts for the children, but after a Herald story, residents from throughout the Northwest suburbs called with promises for presents.

SHE HAD SAID she thought the financial turnaround was bringing the family closer together and things

were no longer taken for granted as they had in the past.

Mrs. Buenger did find a job recently and worked nights as a waitress at a nearby restaurant.

Authorities said if they did not find relatives in the area, the Buenger's four children, ranging from third grade to a sophomore in high school, would be turned over to the Illinois Dept. of Children and Family Services.

Education cuts stand: judge

Walker wins round 1 in school budget dispute

by KATHERINE BOYCE

Gov. Daniel Walker has won the first round in his suit against the Illinois Board of Education to prevent the board from paying schools more state aid per month than appropriated by the legislature.

Sangamon County Circuit Court Judge Waldo Acherman ruled in favor of the governor Tuesday. Julia Dempsey, attorney for the state board, said she will now take the case to the Illinois Appellate Court in Sangamon County.

In November, the state board voted to distribute monthly state aid to schools in an amount equal to one-twelfth of the annual amount schools are entitled to under the current state aid formula.

WALKER CUT the legislature's school appropriations by \$81 million last summer. He has since insisted the state board distribute monthly aid in an amount equal to one-twelfth the annual sum based on the reduced appropriation. When the state board refused to comply, the Governor went to court.

The judge chose a "literal reading" of the statute on state aid disbursements, said Dempsey, and would not consider past practices. For several years the state has disbursed aid under the formula rather than the appropriation.

A bill that would have clarified the state board's power to distribute aid according to the formula died in the legislature last year. The judge ruled the matter of state aid disbursement was "more clearly" in the realm of the legislature, said Dempsey, but the judge also left the state board with the option of taking the case to the Illinois Supreme Court.

If state aid is prorated according to the formula rather than the appro-

priation, schools would receive an additional \$2.5 million in state funds per month, but funds would run out before the end of the fiscal year.

THE STATE'S last payment in June would be cut between \$80 and \$70 million if the legislature does not pass a supplemental appropriation next spring.

Last month the state board gave tentative approval to its proposed education budget, which included a request for a \$100 million supplemental appropriation from the Illinois General Assembly this spring.

Walker has opposed the request saying the state has no additional money for schools this year.

Dist. 15, parents to meet on school closing issue

A meeting between parents of Cardinal Drive School children and board members in Palatine-Rolling Meadows Dist. 15 will be scheduled before the March 10 board meeting to discuss the possible closing of the school next year.

Nearly 30 Cardinal Drive parents attended Tuesday's committee-of-the-whole meeting to learn more about the board's recent discussion on closing the school, 2300 Cardinal Dr., Rolling Meadows.

Board members began considering closing the school last week because of the steep cost of renovating the building. District architects, Del Bianco Schwartz Donatoni, estimate the cost of renovating the school for safety purposes will almost equal the school's original cost of \$385,630.

DISTRICT OFFICIALS now say the district faces a \$2.2 million deficit next year because of state-aid cutbacks and climbing costs of operating the schools. Board members are exploring all cost-cutting measures including the closing of the potentially expensive renovation work at Cardinal Drive School.

Board Pres. Walter Sundling began by assuring the parents that no decision had yet been made.

"All we have done to date is have preliminary discussion on Cardinal Drive as the budget indicates preliminary deficit figures," Sundling said. "I know I can confirm to you that a decision is not imminent," he added.

John Horton, 516 N. Winston Dr., Palatine, president of the Cardinal Drive PTA, urged an open community meeting on the question before a decision is made.

SINCE THE impending deficit was not an overnight condition and would have serious implications on Cardinal Drive School, I would recommend that these facts be discussed with the community in some form of assembly at the school itself," Horton said.

Paul Hanson, 3511 Campbell St., Rolling Meadows, a Cardinal Drive area resident, read a list of questions parents want the board to answer about Cardinal Drive School.

"A lot of rumors have been going around," Hanson began. "Will the building be ready by September if the construction work is done?"

Sundling replied that this depends when the work begins. Architects had estimated the work would take five or six months to complete.

HANSON SAID some parents feel Cardinal Drive has been neglected over the past few years. They wonder why their tax dollars have gone to finish safety work in Palatine schools in the past, when now they are faced with losing their school because safety work will cost too much, he said.

Several board members said the building has not deteriorated, but needs to be upgraded in certain areas to meet safety requirements. Board Member Joel Meyer said that the Cook County superintendent of schools determines the priority in which safety work must be done in the district. Dist. 15 has until June 30, 1978, to renovate Cardinal Drive School.

Several parents were concerned that their children would lose the advantages of small classes and closeness to the principal if Cardinal Drive School were closed, Hanson said.

Pie eatery soon will open: builder

Developers of a Poppin' Fresh Pie restaurant are optimistic a facility in Hoffman Estates soon will open.

Robert Bruff, real estate representative for the chain restaurant's owners, Pillsbury Corp., says plans are to open the restaurant at Jones and Higgins roads.

Preliminary site plan approval for the restaurant has been given by the village plan commission. However, the developers have yet to secure sewer and water connections for the site. Nearby utility connections are located in Schaumburg.

Bruff said preliminary requirements will be readied by Feb. 25, when final plan commission approval could come.

The proposed restaurant will be built on more than 4,000 square feet of land at an approximate cost of \$300,000, Bruff said.

Once a building permit is issued, Bruff said construction should be completed within 90 to 120 days.

Market studies have indicated the restaurant would produce at least \$1 million in gross sales annually, generating more than \$11,000 in sales tax revenue for the village, he said.

The facility is expected to employ 65 persons in full and part time positions, he said.

Five Poppin' Fresh restaurants are now in operation in the area, two are under construction and more are planned, he said.

Identification sign sought for village

Architect Andrew McPherson, who designed the Hoffman Estates Municipal Building, will be asked to suggest an identification sign for the building, 1200 N. Gannon Dr.

Bruce Lind, public works committee chairman, said the committee will contact McPherson, 186 Rosedale Rd., for sign designs. "Since Mr. McPherson designed the building, we thought his recommendations would be very valuable to the committee," Lind said.

The committee will decide later if the sign will be placed on the southeast end of the building or in the lawn at the corner of Golf and Gannon Drive.

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Howlett puts self into new controversy

by STEVE BROWN
Aides to embattled Sec. of State Michael J. Howlett told The Herald Tuesday that the Democratic gubernatorial candidate ignored advice against lumping his income disclosures with the announcement he was quitting his \$15,000-a-year outside job.

The outcome was that Howlett has opened a new controversy with the disclosure he declared \$100,000 in campaign contributions as personal income in 1974 even though the government does not consider campaign funds as taxable income.

Howlett was attempting to "clear the air" over his job with the Sun Steel Co. during a press conference at the Bismarck Hotel, but much of the questioning surrounded Howlett's tax returns.

While explaining why he resigned from the \$15,000-a-year consulting post with Sun Steel, Howlett also disclosed his net worth and showed reporters his 1974 income tax returns.

Aides said after the press conference they advised Howlett not to link the two matters together.

"I think it cleared the air, but it looks like it opened a whole new can of worms," one adviser said.



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Colder

TODAY: Partly cloudy, much colder. High mid 30s; low mid 20s.

THURSDAY: Partly cloudy. High mid 30s.

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Taste of spring disappears

Do not prepare your winter coat and galoshes for mothballs quite yet. Spring IS NOT right around the corner.

Following an official high of 66 degrees Tuesday, the U. S. Weather Service forecast high temperatures in the lower 30s today with north winds gusting between 10 and 15 miles per hour.

Tuesday's mid-afternoon forecast said the Chicago area would be under a partly cloudy sky today but with very little chance of measurable precipitation.

Temperatures will drop into the upper teens or lower 20s tonight, then remain cold and dry on Thursday.

The Weather Service forecast no measurable amount of precipitation until Friday when, a spokesman said, it would probably be a light shower.

Tuesday's 60-degree high fell three degrees short of the Chicago area record set Feb. 10, 1878.

Isolated cases of flu reported in schools

by KURT BAER

Isolated outbreaks of influenza have hit hard at some area schools.

Health officials, however, still say they are hoping this winter will wind up as one of the mildest flu seasons in recent years.

St. Stephen School, Des Plaines, was closed Tuesday with eight of the school's 14 teachers and 70 of 318 students reported out with the flu.

Prospect Heights Dist. 23 also reported numerous flu-related absences.

"There are many, many children and some teachers out because of the flu," said Carol Weinberg, one of two nurses in Dist. 23. From a total enrollment of 1,705 students, 137 elementary children and 48 junior high school students were absent Tuesday. Ten of the district's 93 teachers also were reported sick.

"There seems to be two kinds of flu. The first makes the person much sicker — fever, cough and sore throat. The second, a stomach flu, seems to be of shorter duration. Some children have had both," Mrs. Weinberg said.

Jill Barthel, supervisory nurse for Elk Grove Township Dist. 59, reported a number of flu-like illnesses in district schools.

"We usually have a period when we have a number of students absent because of high fevers or flu. We seem to be going through

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On strong city manager government

Referendum set April 3

The Rolling Meadows City Council Tuesday voted 6-3 to hold an April 3 referendum asking voters to adopt a strong city manager form of government, and to continue having aldermen elected from each ward.

Mayor Roland J. Meyer who worked for and favors reducing the city council if the city adopts the managerial form of government said, "let the voters speak."

"I'll be heard from between now and then," Meyer said, when asked what action he will take now that the council has voted for the referendum without heeding his suggestion of allowing residents to decide whether they want a smaller council.

Meyer, according to city ordinance, has the power to veto the council's action within the next four days.

Aldermen who voted against the ref-

erendum were Merrill A. Wuerch, 1st, John Rock, 3rd and James Huddleston, 4th. Thomas Waldron was absent.

WUERCH SAID he favors a strong manager form of government, but voted against the referendum proposal. "Because the second question on the referendum asks whether voters want to continue to elect aldermen from wards. It does not say how many aldermen, although our attorney tells us it means two from a ward. I believe the question is confusing to voters," he said.

Rock said he voted against the referendum "because an informal poll of residents convinced me voters wanted to retain the present system and think we have a progressive town."

Aldermen Fredrick Jacobson, 5th, who proposed the ordinance said "unless the mayor vetoes the ordinance, it's passed, and will go to the voters for a decision."

JACOBSON AND Aldermen Kenneth Retzke, 5th, and Raymond Neukrantz, 1st, said a canvass of their wards showed an average of 90 per cent of those who responded to a questionnaire said they would vote for a

strong manager form of government and wanted to retain the present city council makeup.

Meyer had urged the poll and Tuesday commended the aldermen for conducting the survey. "Although you contacted less than 300 homes, you did ask for opinions," he said.

However, he did criticize the aldermen's poll because they did not ask residents "if they were satisfied with the present form of government."

Retzke said "by their response, residents indicated that they want a managerial form of government and told us how they feel about the present system."

Meyer warned the council that the city, if it adopts the managerial form of government without reducing the size of the council, could "grow top-heavy with" aldermanic representation. If our population goes up as predicted, we could, by 1978, wind up with 14 aldermen elected from seven wards," he said.

The mayor said surrounding communities with greater populations have far less council or board representation.

Dist. 15, parents to meet on school closing issue

A meeting between parents of Cardinal Drive School children and board members in Palatine-Rolling Meadows Dist. 15 will be scheduled before the March 10 board meeting to discuss the possible closing of the school next year.

Nearly 30 Cardinal Drive parents attended Tuesday's committee-of-the-whole meeting to learn more about the board's recent discussion on closing the school, 2300 Cardinal Dr., Rolling Meadows.

Board members began considering closing the school last week because of the steep cost of renovating the building. District architects, Del Bianco Schwartz Donatoni, estimate the cost of renovating the school for safety purposes will almost equal the school's original cost of \$385,630.

DISTRICT OFFICIALS now say the district faces a \$2.2 million deficit next year because of state-aid cutbacks and climbing costs of operating the schools. Board members are exploring all cost-cutting measures including the closing of the potentially expensive renovation work at Cardinal Drive School.

Board Pres. Walter Sundling began by assuring the parents that no decision had yet been made.

"All we have done to date is have preliminary discussion on Cardinal Drive as the budget indicates preliminary deficit figures," Sundling said. "I know I can confirm to you that a decision is not imminent," he added.

John Horton, 516 N. Winston Dr., Palatine, president of the Cardinal

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UNDERNEATH ALL the padding is a budding ice learn the finer points of hockey play from Ken hockey champ, but with all the covering only his Smith, park district hockey instructor. mom will recognize him. Rolling Meadows boys

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Father of four kills wife, shoots self, police report

A Hanover Park man allegedly shot and killed his wife Tuesday, then critically wounded himself in what police said was an apparent murder and attempted suicide.

The incident occurred about 10:25 a.m. at the Raymond Buenger home, 1501 Cypress Ct., police said.

Nancy Buenger, 33, mother of four, was killed by two gunshots to the head and one to the chest. She was pronounced dead at Alexian Brothers Medical Center, Elk Grove Village.

BUENGER, 35, was listed in critical condition Tuesday night in the in-

tensive care unit of the hospital. He suffered a gunshot wound to the head.

Police said they were called to the Buenger house to investigate a report of a domestic disturbance with shots being fired. The Buengers were found lying in the kitchen of the bungalow home by police.

Both Buenger and his wife's wounds were inflicted by the same weapon, a .38-caliber handgun, police said. Two of four Buenger children were in the home at the time of the shootings, and assistant Cook County state's attor-

neys were questioning them Tuesday night.

Further details about the incident were not available pending investigation by the state's attorney's office.

The Buenger family was aided by Northwest suburbanites in December after the family was included on a list of needy families by Schaumburg Township officials. These families usually receive turkeys and other holiday footstuffs collected by civic groups.

AREA RESIDENTS offered Christ-

mas trees and presents for the family following a Herald story outlining the family's struggle to make ends meet while living on township general-assistance funds.

Neighbors said Tuesday they did not know much about the Buengers because the couple did not socialize with the people in the neighborhood. One woman said the Buengers "kept to themselves."

Georgia Radosta, who has lived next door to the family for 12 years, said neighbors "left them alone" be-

cause of the problems the Buengers were experiencing.

During an interview with a Herald reporter last December, Mrs. Buenger traced the family's problems back to an auto accident in June 1975. After that incident and the father's inability to work full time at a tool and die making job, Buenger suffered a nervous breakdown, Mrs. Buenger had said.

SINCE HIS BREAKDOWN, Buenger was in and out of the mental health unit at Alexian Brothers Medical Cen-

ter, she said. A spokesman for the hospital Tuesday confirmed Buenger had been treated there in the past.

Because of financial and medical problems the family was forced to go to Schaumburg Township for general assistance funds to buy necessities.

Mrs. Buenger went into training as a nursing assistant at Sherman Hospital, Elgin, but lost that job when she had to spend a week in a nearby hospital for tests.

In December, she said, "I'm laughing on the outside, but there have

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The notebook

St. Theresa School

A walking tour of St. Theresa School will be held today at 8 p.m. as part of the school's observance of Catholic Education Week this week.

The Rev. John Edward Linnan, CSV, will conduct the tour and share his views on Catholic education. After Father Linnan's tour, students from fifth and sixth grade will present their ideas on the nation's Bicentennial in song and narrative readings. The school is located at 445 N. Benton St., Palatine.

Students, teachers and parents at St. Theresa will spend the week celebrating the meaning of Catholic education. The theme for the week is "A Declaration of Interdependence," as a reminder that Catholic schools have grown side by side with the nation.

Reunions

The January and June 1956 classes of Lindblom High School are planning a 20th reunion. Classmates not yet contacted are asked to call Tony Pavia, 894-1668 or Dolores Kerrill Pitts, 392-8536.

Foreman High School class of 1956 is holding its 10th reunion at Pary Villa, 2300 N. Narragansett, Chicago, on April 10. For information and reservations contact Nancee Fortunato Blank at 692-5405 before Feb. 23.

Scholarships

The PTA of Churchill School, 1520 N. Jones Rd., Schaumburg, is offering a \$200 scholarship to a senior at Hoffman Estates High School.

For applications and information students should contact Daniel Yokas in the guidance office at the high school before March 19.

The award will be presented to the winning student at Churchill School's April PTA meeting.

At meeting tonight

Dist. 15 to mull facts for annex

Information on a proposed annexation of a portion of Barrington Township Unit Dist. 220 to Palatine-Rolling Meadows Dist. 15 will be presented to Dist. 15 board members tonight.

Dist. 220 has asked that Dist. 15 and its high school district, Dist. 211, annex a portion of a Centex Homes Inc. development in Hoffman Estates. Most of the development, known as Centex West or Winston Knolls West, lies within Dist. 220 boundaries.

But Dist. 220 officials say the added enrollment from the subdivision, located near Algonquin and Freeman roads in Palatine and Barrington townships, would be a hardship on their district.

Preliminary studies of projected enrollments and tax income showed that Dist. 15 could lose more than it could gain by accepting the Dist. 220 land. The Dist. 15 board asked the administration to prepare tonight's information so it could consider the issue.

In other business, Board Pres. Walter Sundling is expected to announce whether he will seek his ninth board term in the April 10 election. There has been speculation that Sundling,

who has served on the board since 1960, may decline another term for health reasons.

The board meets at 8 p.m. at the administration building, 505 S. Quentin Rd., Palatine.

Film on recycling slated Wednesday

The recycling process is the subject of a film to be shown at 8 p.m. Wednesday during a meeting of the Rolling Meadows recycling committee in city hall, 3600 Kirchoff Rd., Rolling Meadows.

The 45-minute film shows what happens to discarded newspapers, glass and tin, once they reach recycling plants.

The showing is open to the public.

The city participates in a recycling program. Residents may dispose of paper, glass and tin between 8 a.m. and 3 p.m. the first and third Saturday of each month at the public works building parking lot, 3200 Central Rd.

Meyer says of budget projections:

Tax, fee proposals 'preliminary'

by JERRY THOMAS

Rolling Meadows Mayor Roland J. Meyer said Tuesday it is "premature to comment" on a preliminary budget proposal to impose a utility tax, charge a garbage fee and raise the vehicle sticker fee.

Meyer said the new revenue projections made by acting City Mgr. Charles Green are only preliminary. Green made the suggestions as part of a presentation this week on the 1976 proposed \$4.7 million city budget.

"Green did not urge the city council impose these charges. As part of a good budget presentation he simply pointed out means of creating additional revenue," Meyer said.

"IF THE COUNCIL were to adopt a budget that included every department's request and every proposal suggested, maybe we would have to worry about extra revenue."

"But, if we pare the budget requests down we should easily be able to balance a budget and have surplus funds," Meyer said.

Meyer said Green's suggestions were made to show how the city could establish a healthy surplus fund and also make new equipment purchases and hire additional employees.

He commended Green's work on the preliminary budget.

Three aldermen Tuesday had differing opinions on Green's suggestions to raise additional revenue.

ALD. STEPHEN Eberhard, 3rd, said "as far as I'm concerned there is some waste in the city operation that we could cut before we start thinking about imposing a garbage service fee."

He did not elaborate except to say he is preparing records to substantiate his statement.

Auditors appoint two to youth service unit

The Palatine Township Board of Auditors has appointed two persons to represent the township on the nine-member Regional Youth Service Bureau.

Mike Lemonidis, a member of the township youth committee, and Dave Corbett, assistant principal at Carl Sandburg Junior High School, were approved at the board's Monday meeting.

The regional bureau includes Palatine, Schaumburg and Elk Grove townships.

Eberhard said he opposes a garbage fee and utility tax but would favor an increase in the vehicle sticker fee.

Ald. Kenneth Reitzke, 5th, said he needs to review the budget and departmental priority requests before he

Dist. 214 term to begin prior to Labor Day

Classes will begin the Wednesday before Labor Day this year in High School Dist. 214.

The Dist. 214 Board of Education this week approved a calendar for the 1976-77 school year. The school year will begin Tuesday, Aug. 31, with an institute day for teachers. Students will report to classes Wednesday, Sept. 1.

Winter vacation will begin at the close of classes on Wednesday, Dec. 22, and classes will resume Monday, Jan. 3, 1977. The first semester will end Friday Jan. 21.

Spring vacation will begin at the close of classes Thursday, April 7, 1977, and classes will resume Monday, April 18. The last day of classes will be held Friday, June 10, 1977.

According to a report submitted to the board by the administration, the superintendents of the 10 school districts in the High School Dist. 214 and 211 area discussed the calendar and a majority preferred starting school next year before Labor Day with a shortened winter vacation.

A majority of teachers polled by the Dist. 214 Education Assn. also favored the early start with a shortened holiday break.

City hall to close in honor of Lincoln

The Rolling Meadows City Hall will be closed Thursday in observance of Lincoln's birthday.

However, public library and park district offices will be open for business as usual.

decides if the added funds will be necessary.

"This is why I think it's important to begin an early review of the budget," he added.

Ald. John Rock, 3rd, said "I don't see any reason for coming up with new means of creating revenue now. In order to comment I will have to review the complete budget," he said.

Local scene

Parks tour Feb. 18

A Feb. 18 tour of the American Furniture Mart will be sponsored by Schaumburg Park District as part of its Women on the Go program.

Lunch will be provided at the Mart and approximately one and one-half hours will be spent touring model rooms, show rooms and viewing a film on design.

Deadline for registration is noon Saturday at Meineke Community Center, 220 E. Weathersfield Way.

The fee is \$9.50 for Schaumburg Park District residents and \$11.50 for others.

A bus will leave Meineke Center at 10:30 a.m. on the day of the tour. Stops will be made to pick up passengers at 10:45 a.m. at Jennings Center, 220 S. Civic Dr. at 10:50 a.m. at Weathersfield Commons Quadros and 10:55 a.m. at Weathersfield Lake Quadros.

Dist. 15, parents to meet on school closing issue

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Drive PTA, urged an open community meeting on the question before a decision is made.

SINCE THE impending deficit was not an overnight condition and would have serious implications on Cardinal Drive School, I would recommend that these facts be discussed with the community in some form of assembly at the school itself," Horton said.

Paul Hanson, 3611 Campbell St., Rolling Meadows, a Cardinal Drive area resident, read a list of questions

Feb. 15 deadline on vehicle stickers

Vehicle sticker deadline for Rolling Meadows residents is Feb. 15.

Stickers are on sale for \$3 for passenger cars. Truck sticker fees depend on vehicle weight.

After Feb. 15 a \$5 penalty fee will be added to the sticker fee. Stickers must be displayed by midnight Feb. 15.

Stickers may be obtained at the city hall, 3600 Kirchoff Rd., from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

parents want the board to answer about Cardinal Drive School.

"A lot of rumors have been going around," Hanson began. "Will the building be ready by September if the construction work is done?"

Sundling replied that this depends when the work begins. Architects had estimated the work would take five or six months to complete.

HANSON SAID some parents feel Cardinal Drive has been neglected over the past few years. They wonder why their tax dollars have gone to finish safety work in Palatine schools in the past, when now they are faced with losing their school because safety work will cost too much, he said.

Several board members said the building has not deteriorated, but needs to be upgraded in certain areas to meet safety requirements. Board Member Joel Meyer said that the Cook County superintendent of schools determines the priority in which safety work must be done in the district. Dist. 15 has until June 30, 1978, to renovate Cardinal Drive School.

Several parents were concerned that their children would lose the advantages of small classes and closeness to the principal if Cardinal Drive School were closed, Hanson said.

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A HELPING HAND or two makes it easier for a boy who is in the midst of an ice hockey program to spend more time on the ice. Rolling Meadows offered by the park district.

Howlett puts self in new controversy

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list of itemized deductions which Howlett claimed for the year.
THE TAX SITUATIONS marked the second controversy Howlett has started himself in the past two weeks.
Howlett told reporters he has resigned from the post, he was quick to point out that he does not believe the

from the Sun Steel post, the firm which paid him \$225,000 since 1960, because "I do not wish to permit the campaign for governor to be diverted from the real issues."
While Howlett announced he resigned from the post, he was quick to point out that he does not believe the

situation represents a conflict of interest. He said Sun Steel and the M.S. Kaplan Co. Inc., which owns 55 percent of Sun Steel, never did any business with state.

Hu said he performed labor and sales consulting for the company during the period he served as state auditor and later as secretary of state.

HOWLETT SAID he did not seek any clients for the company after he was elected to public office. He also said to the best of his knowledge none of the clients he advised Sun Steel on did business with the state. Howlett declined to name the sales clients.

Howlett called the campaign and income disclosures "a key issue in the campaign."
He also criticized Walker for not releasing the contributors to his 1972 campaign.

Walker aides revealed early Tuesday Walker would make the contributors list public soon.

"Gov. Walker and his people would have you believe there is a question when I receive \$15,000 from a company which does no business whatsoever with the state. But they do not believe there is a conflict when Dan Walker asks for and gets \$2 million from people doing business with agencies he controls.

Howlett also released a statement which reported his net worth at \$78,500, including \$29,000 in state pension funds, \$26,000 in life insurance and \$12,000 equity in a house in Long Beach, Ind. He also revealed he lost \$8,000 on the sale of a home in Chicago in 1975.

'Almost Anything Goes' hope gone for village folks

by LUISA GINETTI
Picture it: Palatine Village Pres. Wendell E. Jones sliding down a banister toward a pool of water, trying to sink a basketball in a hoop along the way, with thousands of cheering Palatine residents roasting him on.
Or Trustees Philip E. Stern and Richard W. Fonte catching catapulted cantaloupes tossed to them by fellow trustees Fred Zajonc and Bryan T. Coughlin, with Trustee Robert Guss providing the coaching.
Sound absurd? Well, Trustee James L. Shaw thinks it's a great idea. And so do the producers of a new game show called "Almost Anything Goes," which pits local towns against each other in zany stunts, all depicted in living color aboard the airwaves of ABC-TV.
Shaw said he thinks being on television playing those crazy games, which are seen over the national network for one hour every Saturday night, would be great fun.
EACH WEEK, three local towns are represented by six team members

and a coach. They compete for nothing more than a trophy presented to them from host Ragis Philbin and the right to go on to regional competition. If they're lucky, they can go on to the national finals.

You see, it's the civic pride that the town gains from that close community spirit and camaraderie which is the real prize, at least according to Bob Banner Associates, producers of the show.

And Shaw agrees.
But alas, the story has an unhappy ending for Palatine.

It seems that only towns with populations between 8,000 and 20,000 can compete on the show. And even if Palatine met the population requirement, officials with the show said they are booked through the end of the year.

But great ideas can't be abandoned without at least some attempt at the old American give-it-a-try ethic.

As Shaw suggested, if only Palatine could disannex the Winston Park subdivision. . . .

Father kills wife, shoots self: police

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been nights I have cried. It hurts down deep."
At Christmas, Mrs. Buenger thought she would not have enough money to buy any gifts for the children, but after a Herald story, residents from throughout the Northwest suburbs called with promises for presents.
SHE HAD SAID she thought the financial turnaround was bringing the family closer together and things were no longer taken for granted as they had in the past.
Mrs. Buenger did find a job recently and worked nights as a waitress at a nearby restaurant.
Authorities said if they did not find relatives in the area, the Buenger's four children, ranging from third grade to a sophomore in high school, would be turned over to the Illinois Dept. of Children and Family Services.

Education cuts stand: judge

Walker wins round 1 in school budget dispute

by KATHERINE BOYCE

Gov. Daniel Walker has won the first round in his suit against the Illinois Board of Education to prevent the board from paying schools more state aid per month than appropriated by the legislature.

Sangamon County Circuit Court Judge Waldo Acherman ruled in favor of the governor Tuesday. Julia Dempsey, attorney for the state board, said she will now take the case to the Illinois Appellate Court in Sangamon County.

In November, the state board voted to distribute monthly state aid to schools in an amount equal to one-twelfth of the annual amount schools are entitled to under the current state aid formula.

WALKER CUT the legislature's school appropriations by \$81 million

last summer. He has since insisted the state board distribute monthly aid in an amount equal to one-twelfth the annual sum based on the reduced appropriation. When the state board refused to comply, the Governor went to court.

The judge chose a "literal reading" of the statute on state aid disbursements, said Dempsey, and would not consider past practices. For several years the state has disbursed aid according to the formula rather than the appropriation.

A bill that would have clarified the state board's power to distribute aid according to the formula died in the legislature last year. The judge ruled the matter of state aid disbursement was "more clearly" in the realm of the legislature, said Dempsey, but the judge also left the state board with

the option of taking the case to the Illinois Supreme Court.

If state aid is prorated according to the formula rather than the appropriation, schools would receive an additional \$2.5 million in state funds per month, but funds would run out before the end of the fiscal year.

THE STATE'S last payment in June would be cut between \$60 and \$70 million if the legislature does not pass a supplemental appropriation next spring.

Last month the state board gave tentative approval to its proposed education budget, which included a request for a \$100 million supplemental appropriation from the Illinois General Assembly this spring.

Walker has opposed the request saying the state has no additional money for schools this year.

Randhurst rock fest irks Mount Prospect trustees

by LYNN ASINOF

Rock 'n' roll, which made a brief appearance at Randhurst last month, will be a short-lived phenomenon in the Northwest suburbs if Mount Prospect officials have their way.

Several village board members Monday said they were outraged about the hard rock Blue Oyster Cult concert at the Randhurst Twin Ice Arena Jan. 30.

While a review by The Herald of the concert passed from hand to hand, the trustees said they thought they had banned such hard rock concerts at Randhurst in a zoning ordinance approved last fall. Several said they wanted to prevent a repeat of the concert by enforcing the ordinance.

That ordinance says music concerts shall be limited to those which "contain no primitive harmonic progressions in a homophonic textured melody line with electronic instruments and/or contain no pornographic lyrics." The Northwestern University School of Music provided the village with this definition of "acid rock" music.

AS A RESULT of the turmoil, Village Mgr. Robert J. Eppley said he is taking steps to put an end to rock 'n' roll at Randhurst. He said this includes the Feb. 18 concert featuring rock 'n' roller Ted Nugent. About 800 tickets for this concert already have been sold.

"My intention is that there'll be no more rock concerts," Eppley said. "Now that I know what the board's

meaning is, it doesn't matter how I personally feel. We're not going to have it."

A meeting to discuss the matter is set for 7:30 p.m. Thursday at the village hall, 100 S. Emerson St.

SPOKESMEN FOR the ice arena said the ordinance specifically prohibits "acid rock," but not the type of rock 'n' roll played by Blue Oyster Cult or Ted Nugent.

"I was there and if this is acid rock, I'm a baboon," said Thomas Hanlon, attorney for the owners of the ice arena.

Hanlon said he could not comment on the village's plans to prohibit the Ted Nugent concert, saying he had received no official word from the village.

Zane Bresloff, president of Northwest Productions, which promoted the concert, said he checked the ordinance with the Northwestern University School of Music to make sure Blue Oyster Cult would comply.

"They're just loud rock 'n' rollers," Bresloff said of the group.

BRESLOFF SAID other concerts booked include Jesse Colin Young, April 4, and a Gospel group at a later date. He said other groups like Ferrante and Teicher are under consideration.

Trustee Edward B. Rhea Jr., one of those most incensed by the rock concert, said he was upset by the marijuana smoking and drinking that reportedly took place at the performance.

"I don't care so much about the kind of music," Rhea said. "I object to the marijuana smokers and the beer drinkers."

RHEA SAID HE plans to get a police report on the performance and pursue the matter at the next board meeting.

Reports from both the police and the ice arena management show that there were few problems resulting from the concert.

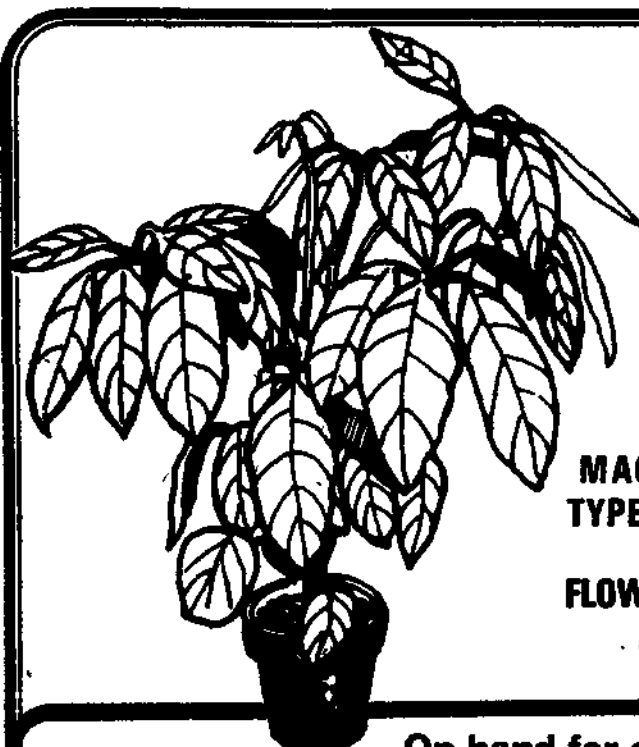
"We had absolutely no trouble at all with this concert," said George Simpson, manager of the ice arena. "The fire and police departments were here and were witness to that fact. We were amazed we could have 5,000 kids in this building and have no trouble."

POLICE CHIEF Ralph J. Doney said there were a few minor incidents but nothing of major importance. He said there was marijuana smoking in the audience, but that beer and liquor was confiscated at the door.

"My men felt that considering this was our first one, the concert wasn't that bad," Doney said. "We didn't have any incidents."

Bresloff said the village's attempt to end rock 'n' roll at Randhurst is depriving local teens of their rights. He said concerts are held in other towns and said the village should have some faith in the conduct of its youngsters.

"If you give the kids a chance to act like adults, they will," Bresloff said.



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Howlett puts self into new controversy

by STEVE BROWN

Aides to embattled Sec. of State Michael J. Howlett told The Herald Tuesday that the Democratic gubernatorial candidate ignored advice against lumping his income disclosures with the announcement he was quitting his \$15,000-a-year outside job.

The outcome was that Howlett has opened a new controversy with the disclosure he declared \$100,000 in campaign contributions as personal income in 1974 even though the government does not consider campaign funds as taxable income.

Howlett was attempting to "clear the air" over his job with the Sun-Steel Co. during a press conference at the Bismarck Hotel, but much of the questioning surrounded Howlett's tax returns.

WHILE EXPLAINING why he resigned from the \$15,000-a-year consulting post with Sun Steel, Howlett also disclosed his net worth and showed reporters his 1974 income tax returns.

Aides said after the press conference they advised Howlett not to link the two matters together.

"I think it cleared the air, but it looks like it opened a whole new can of worms," one adviser said.

At issue was Howlett's 1974 income tax return which included \$100,000 he received as campaign contributions. Howlett declared the contributions as personal income. He said he was advised by Chicago lawyer Harold Bernstein to declare the contributions as personal income.

ACCORDING TO Internal Revenue Service regulations, politicians are not required to declare campaign contributions as income unless the money was used for personal expenses.

"I used the \$100,000 to pay back taxes, I did not use it for personal expenses. My tax counsel advised me to pay the taxes, it did not have anything to do with the IRS. It was put into the campaign fund. All I did was what my tax counsel told me to do," Howlett said.

Howlett said he used \$75,000 of the

amount to repay a loan he made during his 1972 campaign for secretary of state. Howlett said he borrowed the money from Nationwide Acceptance Corp.

He said the remaining \$25,000 was used to pay taxes on the loan, retire other debts and subsequent political opportunities.

HOWLETT DECLINED to offer any specifics on how the \$100,000 was used.

"I have made the greatest disclosure ever made by any public official," Howlett said.

Howlett said he will disclose his 1972 campaign contributions in the near future.

He did produce a list of persons who purchased tickets to fund-raising events in Chicago and Springfield in 1974. The money raised in the events was used to pay off the loans, Howlett said.

The 1974 tax return Howlett allowed reporters to review did not include the

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TODAY: Partly cloudy, much colder. High mid 30s; low mid 20s.

THURSDAY: Partly cloudy. High mid 30s.

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Taste of spring disappears

Do not prepare your winter coat and galoshes for mothballs quite yet. Spring IS NOT right around the corner.

Following an official high of 60 degrees Tuesday, the U. S. Weather Service forecast high temperatures in the lower 30s today with north winds gusting between 10 and 15 miles per hour.

Tuesday's mid-afternoon forecast said the Chicago area would be under a partly cloudy sky today but with very little chance of measurable precipitation.

Temperatures will drop into the upper teens or lower 20s tonight, then remain cold and dry on Thursday.

The Weather Service forecast no measurable amount of precipitation until Friday when, a spokesman said, it would probably be a light shower.

Tuesday's 60-degree high fell three degrees short of the Chicago area record set Feb. 10, 1876.

Isolated cases of flu reported in schools

by KURT BAER

Isolated outbreaks of influenza have hit hard at some area schools.

Health officials, however, still say they are hoping this winter will wind up as one of the mildest flu seasons in recent years.

St. Stephen School, Des Plaines, was closed Tuesday with eight of the school's 14 teachers and 70 of 318 students reported out with the flu.

Prospect Heights Dist. 23 also reported numerous flu-related absences.

"There are many, many children and some teachers out because of the flu," said Carol Weinberg, one of two nurses in Dist. 23. From a total enrollment of 1,705 students, 137 elementary children and 48 junior high school students were absent Tuesday. Ten of the district's 93 teachers also were reported sick.

"There seems to be two kinds of flu. The first makes the person much sicker — fever, cough and sore throat. The second, a stomach flu, seems to be of shorter duration. Some children have had both," Mrs. Weinberg said.

Jill Barthel, supervisory nurse for Elk Grove Township Dist. 59, reported a number of flu-like illnesses in district schools.

"We usually have a period when we have a number of students absent because of high fevers or flu. We seem to be going through

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Parents, Dist. 15 officials

Meeting on 'Cardinal' shutdown

A meeting between parents of Cardinal Drive School children and board members in Palatine-Rolling Meadows Dist. 15 will be scheduled before the March 10 board meeting to discuss the possible closing of the school next year.

Nearly 30 Cardinal Drive parents attended Tuesday's committee-of-the-

whole meeting to learn more about the board's recent discussion on closing the school, 2300 Cardinal Dr., Rolling Meadows.

Board members began considering closing the school last week because of the steep cost of renovating the building. District architects, Del Bianco Schwartz Donatoni, estimate the cost of renovating the school for safety purposes will almost equal the school's original cost of \$385,630.

DISTRICT OFFICIALS now say the district faces a \$2.2 million deficit next year because of state-aid cutbacks and climbing costs of operating the schools. Board members are exploring all cost-cutting measures including the closing of the potentially expensive renovation work at Cardinal Drive School.

'Almost Anything Goes' hope gone for village folks

by LUISA GINETTI

Pictures it: Palatine Village Pres. Wendell E. Jones sliding down a banister toward a pool of water, trying to sink a basketball in a hoop along the way, with thousands of cheering Palatine residents rooting him on.

Or Trustees Philip E. Stern and Richard W. Fouts catching catapulted cantaloupes tossed to them by fellow trustees Fred Zajonc and Bryan T. Coughlin, with Trustee Robert Guss providing the coaching.

Sound absurd? Well, Trustee James L. Shaw thinks it's a great idea. And so do the producers of a new game show called "Almost Anything Goes," which pits local towns against each other in zany stunts, all depicted in living color aboard the airwaves of ABC-TV.

Shaw said he thinks being on television playing those crazy games, which are seen over the national network for one hour every Saturday night, would be great fun.

EACH WEEK, three local towns are represented by six team members and a coach. They compete for nothing more than a trophy presented to them from host Regis Philbin and the right to go on to regional competition. If they're lucky, they can go on to the national finals.

You see, it's the civic pride that the town gains from that close community spirit and camaraderie which is the real prize, at least according to Bob

Board Pres. Walter Sundling began by assuring the parents that no decision had yet been made.

"All we have done to date is have preliminary discussion on Cardinal Drive as the budget indicates preliminary deficit figures," Sundling said. "I know I can confirm to you that a decision is not imminent," he added.

John Horton, 516 N. Winston Dr., Palatine, president of the Cardinal Drive PTA, urged an open community meeting on the question before a decision is made.

SINCE THE impending deficit was not an overnight condition and would have serious implications on Cardinal Drive School, I would recommend that these facts be discussed with the community in some form of assembly at the school itself," Horton said.

Paul Hanson, 3511 Campbell St.,



FOLK DANCING was part of the activities at Pleasant Hill School, 434 W. Illinois St., Palatine, during this week when fourth graders held a Swiss Festival. Students also held a smorgasbord of Swiss foods, dressed in costumes and sang folk songs. Story on Page 5.

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Father of four kills wife, shoots self, police report

A Hanover Park man allegedly shot and killed his wife Tuesday, then critically wounded himself in what police said was an apparent murder and attempted suicide.

The incident occurred about 10:25 a.m. at the Raymond Buenger home, 1501 Cypress Ct., police said.

Nancy Buenger, 33, mother of four, was killed by two gunshot wounds to the head and one to the chest. She was pronounced dead at Alexian Brothers Medical Center, Elk Grove Village.

BUENGER, 35, was listed in critical condition Tuesday night in the in-

tensive care unit of the hospital. He suffered a gunshot wound to the head.

Police said they were called to the Buenger house to investigate a report of a domestic disturbance with shots being fired. The Buengers were found lying in the kitchen of the bilevel home by police.

Both Buenger and his wife's wounds were inflicted by the same weapon, a .38-caliber handgun, police said. Two of four Buenger children were in the home at the time of the shootings, and assistant Cook County state's attorneys were questioning them Tuesday night.

Further details about the incident were not available pending investigation by the state's attorney's office.

The Buenger family was aided by Northwest suburbanites in December after the family was included on a list of needy families by Schaumburg Township officials. These families usually receive turkeys and other holiday footstuffs collected by civic groups.

AREA RESIDENTS offered Christ-

mas trees and presents for the family following a Herald story outlining the family's struggle to make ends meet while living on township general-assistance funds.

Neighbors said Tuesday they did not know much about the Buengers because the couple did not socialize with the people in the neighborhood. One woman said the Buengers "kept to themselves."

Georgia Radosta, who has lived next door to the family for 12 years, said neighbors "left them alone" because of the problems the Buengers were experiencing.

During an interview with a Herald reporter last December, Mrs. Buenger traced the family's problems back to an auto accident in June 1975. After that incident and the father's inability to work full time at a tool and die making job, Buenger suffered a nervous breakdown, Mrs. Buenger had said.

SINCE HIS BREAKDOWN, Buenger was in and out of the mental health unit at Alexian Brothers Medical Center, she said. A spokesman for the hospital Tuesday confirmed Buenger had been treated there in the past.

Because of financial and medical problems the family was forced to go to Schaumburg Township for general assistance funds to buy necessities.

Mrs. Buenger went into training as a nursing assistant at Sherman Hospital, Elgin, but lost that job when she had to spend a week in a nearby hospital for tests.

In December, she said, "I'm laughing on the outside, but there have

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The notebook

St. Theresa School

A walking tour of St. Theresa School will be held today at 8 p.m. as part of the school's observance of Catholic Education Week this week.

The Rev. John Edward Linnan, CSV, will conduct the tour and share his views on Catholic education. After Father Linnan's tour, students from fifth and sixth grade will present their ideas on the nation's Bicentennial in song and narrative readings. The school is located at 445 N. Benton St., Palatine.

Students, teachers and parents at St. Theresa will spend the week celebrating the meaning of Catholic education. The theme for the week is "A Declaration of Interdependence," as a reminder that Catholic schools have grown side by side with the nation.

Reunions

The January and June 1956 classes of Lindblom High School are planning a 20th reunion. Classmates not yet contacted are asked to call Tony Pavia, 894-1660 or Dolores Kerrill Pitts, 392-8536.

Foreman High School class of 1966 is holding its 10th reunion at Pary Villa, 2300 N. Narragansett, Chicago, on April 10. For information and reservations contact Nancee Fortunato Blank at 692-5405 before Feb. 28.

Scholarships

The PTA of Churchill School, 1520 N. Jones Rd., Schaumburg, is offering a \$200 scholarship to a senior at Hoffman Estates High School.

For applications and information students should contact Daniel Yokas in the guidance office at the high school before March 19.

The award will be presented to the winning student at Churchill School's April PTA meeting.

Village board wrapup

Discotheque OKd for Haymaker site

The Palatine Village Board has approved special-use permit for Buffet International Inc. to operate a discotheque at 331 W. Northwest Hwy., former site of Haymaker's Restaurant.

The discotheque is owned by Anthony Greco, owner of Cafe du Chef, and Robert Galloy. Greco said he plans to relocate his restaurant and lounge, now located at 323 W. Northwest Hwy., into the building. In the Oasis Shopping Center which also will include the discotheque.

The permit is the first one granted under the village's new live entertainment ordinance, which requires a special-use permit for such establishments.

Greco already has received a permit to remodel the former Haymaker's building. The discotheque will be in back of the restaurant area, he said.

The special-use permit prohibits the operation of live entertainment other than that related to a discotheque, prohibits live entertainment before 7 p.m. and calls on Greco and Galloy to provide additional security if the village requires it.

The village will hold a more than \$20,000 performance bond guaranteeing that flood retention requirements at the site are met.

Nurse named to health panel

Marilyn Bickel has been appointed to the Palatine Board of Health.

Mrs. Bickel, a registered nurse, will fill a vacancy, which has existed on the board for more than a year. Her term will run through May 1, 1977.

A certificate of merit also was awarded to Michael McDonald, who resigned from the plan commission recently to devote more time to his business.

\$500 donated to Guatemala

The village board has approved a \$500 donation for relief work for victims of a recent series of earthquakes in Guatemala.

Trustee James L. Shaw made the motion, which was approved unanimously. He suggested the money be channeled through the Religious Assn. of Palatine, which would in turn forward the money to agencies handling the relief work.

Junior high annexed to village

The board approved an ordinance to annex Palatine Hills Junior High School, 1100 N. Smith Rd. Last month the Palatine-Rolling Meadows Dist. 15 school board approved a resolution calling for the annexation.

'Switzerland' arrives via dance, fun at Pleasant Hill

Pleasant Hill School, 434 W. Illinois St., Palatine, was alive with the sound of music, dancing and fun when 59 fourth graders and their relatives enjoyed a bit of Switzerland last week.

The Swiss Festival, organized by teachers Judy Lamac and Linda Madura, was an outgrowth of the fourth grade's social studies unit about Switzerland. While the children did the usual classroom projects, reports and murals — the teachers thought it would be fun to make a party from class work.

Fifth-grade teacher Carol Poehlein, a folk dance enthusiast, taught the children authentic dances that Swit-

zerland's Alpine residents enjoy. Music teacher Shirley Powell taught several folk songs including the "Happy Wanderer." The students baked chocolate cakes at school and planned the menu of hot chocolate, cheeses and crackers.

The day of the festival, the fourth grade girls dressed in long skirts, and the boys wore short pants or "knickerbockers" — trouser legs rolled under their socks. About 80 parents and grandparents came to see the program and share the refreshments with the students.

It was a big day for edelweiss at Pleasant Hill.

Local scene

Woodfield trip, lunch set

Palatine Township senior citizens are planning a trip to Woodfield Shopping Center and a pot luck lunch this month.

The trip to Woodfield is Feb. 18. The bus will leave the senior citizens cen-

ter at 248 S. Brockway St. at 10 a.m. and return at 2:30 p.m. The cost is \$1.50.

The pot luck lunch is planned for 11:30 a.m. Feb. 25 at the senior citizens center.

Reservations for either event may be made by calling the center, 391-1112.

Arlington Crest sewer hookup decision delayed

A decision about requiring Arlington Crest homeowners to connect to the Palatine sewer and water system has been delayed until more information on state plumbing codes is received from state officials.

Village officials told subdivision residents Monday they have yet to receive information from the Illinois Dept. of Health on the applicability of the state plumbing codes.

The code requires all homes with sewer and water mains in front of

their property to connect to the system. Arlington Crest residents who are not connected to the village system have septic tanks and wells.

Village officials are trying to determine whether the code applies to new construction only, or to both new and existing construction.

Village Atty. Bradley Glass said he has not yet determined whether the code, which was written in 1969, is retroactive to homes that were built before the code took effect. Village sewer and water lines were installed in the subdivision by a special assessment in 1969.

GLASS SAID, HOWEVER, that a revised plumbing code is being prepared by the state, but has not been filed with the Secretary of State's office. The new code calls for buildings to be connected to mains if the mains are within 200 feet of the property. The existing code says connection must take place if the property abuts the mains.

Eveline Stenzel, president of the Arlington Crest Homeowners' Assn., criticized the board for failing to make available to the residents a copy of Glass's information, which was included in a letter to Village Mgr. Anton H. Harwig.

Mrs. Stenzel said officials were "circumventing the homeowners" by seeking information from Glass without notifying the homeowners. She said this action violated the faith of an agreement reached between the residents and village officials at a joint meeting last month.

AT THE MEETING, both sides agreed to jointly contact state officials to get an interpretation of the plumbing codes.

Officials said they did not mean to violate the agreement and would make no decision on the issue until more information was received.

Residents were sent a letter from Harwig in December saying they must connect to the system by June. Cost of the work could run as high as \$1,000 for each home and would be payable by the homeowners.

About 72 homes in the subdivision would be affected by the decision.

Parks study use of facilities at old high school

Palatine Park District officials said Tuesday night they will explore the feasibility of using space at Palatine High School when the building is vacated next year.

The decision makes the park district the third government agency to express an interest in using the building when it is abandoned after a new high school opens next year. High School Dist. 211 officials have invited the park district, the village and the township to enter into a shared-cost agreement with the district if they are interested in using the old building.

The building will be replaced with a new high school now being built on Rohlfing Road, north of the Winston Park subdivision. The new school is scheduled to open in September 1977.

Elena Ruane, superintendent of recreation, was among several officials who toured the old building last week. She told the board the school district has agreed to send the village and the park district further information about the building, including operating expenses for heating and other utilities.

PARK OFFICIALS made no commitment to use the old building, but said they felt the matter was worth continued investigation.

"At the very least, we're interested in the land around the building, like the football field and the tennis courts," Comr. Waldon Degner said.

Board Pres. Robert Dellamaria added that the gymnasium facilities at the old building are among the best in the area.

Park officials also said they would make a study of their own facility needs and available funds to determine how much they can spend and how much space they can use at the old high school.

Inverness plan unit to mull new 'Rigg' proposal

The Inverness Plan Commission will consider revised plans for the proposed Bonnie Rigg subdivision at 8 p.m. Tuesday at the village field-house.

The subdivision developed by Elmer Gleich of Palatine would contain 67 lots on 80 acres west of Ela Road between Freeman Road and Ill. Rte. 62. Gleich's plans call for 65 homes with between 2,600 and 3,200 square feet of living space. The homes would be built on sites of 40,000 square feet minimum.

Two other plans for using the 80 acres had been proposed. Last August, Gleich submitted plans to build 139 houses on lots of 20,000 square feet minimum. Those homes would have sold for an average \$90,000. Gleich withdrew the plans in October.

Another Palatine developer, Erich Kuntze, had had the property zoned for condominium apartments but failed to start construction before the zoning expired.

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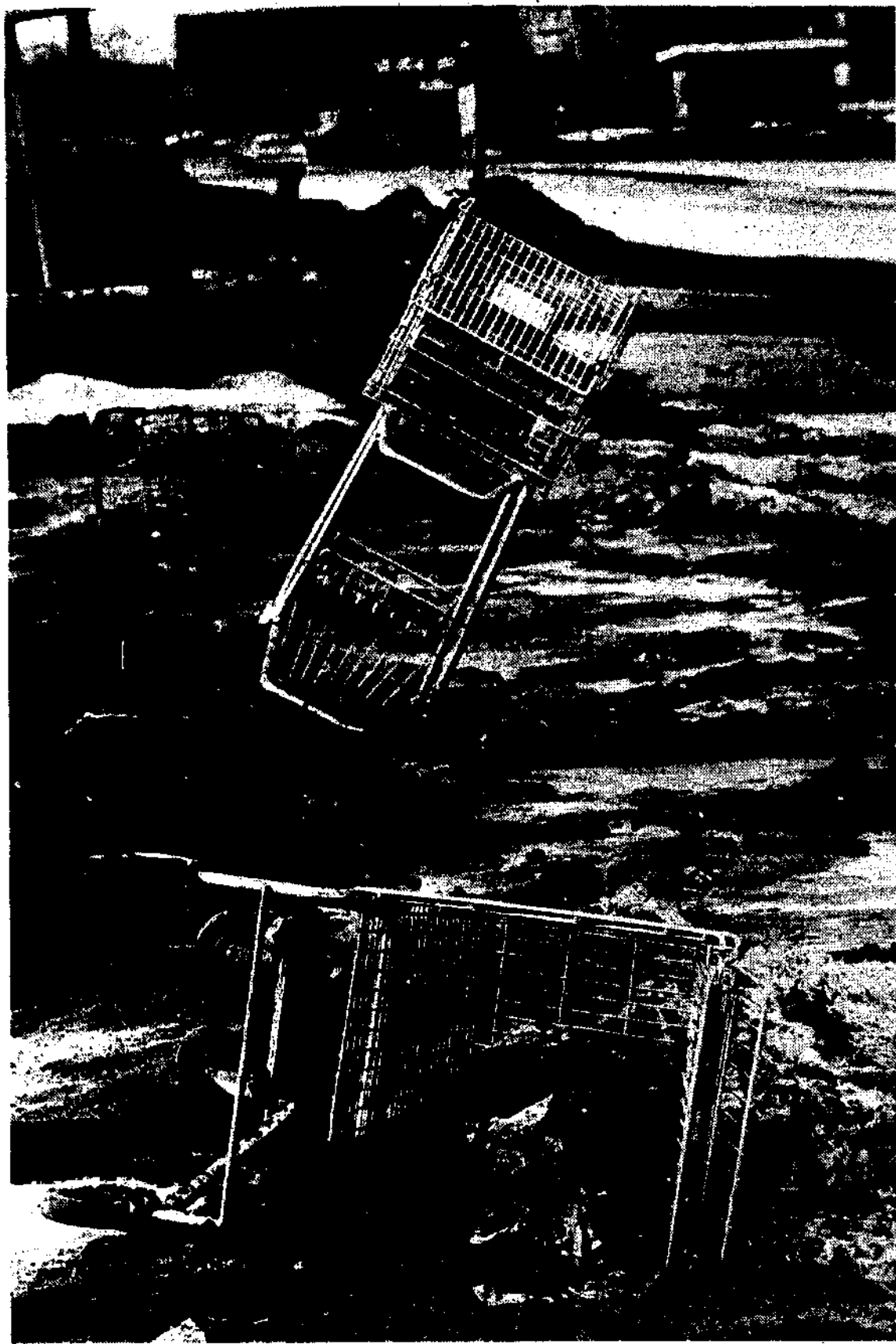
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Howlett puts self in new controversy

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list of itemized deductions which Howlett claimed for the year.

THE TAX SITUATIONS marked the second controversy Howlett has started himself in the past two weeks.

Howlett told reporters he has resigned from the Sun Steel post, the firm which paid him \$225,000 since 1960, because "I do not wish to permit the campaign for governor to be diverted from the real issues."

While Howlett announced he resigned from the post, he was quick to point out that he does not believe the situation represents a conflict of interest. He said Sun Steel and the M.S. Kaplan Co. Inc., which owns 55 per cent of Sun Steel, never did any business with state.

He said he performed labor and sales consulting for the company during the period he served as state auditor and later as secretary of state.

HOWLETT SAID he did not seek any clients for the company after he was elected to public office. He also said to the best of his knowledge none of the clients he advised Sun Steel on

did business with the state. Howlett declined to name the sales clients.

Howlett called the campaign and income disclosures "a key issue in the campaign."

He also criticized Walker for not releasing the contributors to his 1972 campaign.

Walker aides revealed early Tuesday Walker would make the contributors list public soon.

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pany which does no business whatsoever with the state. But they do not believe there is a conflict when Dan Walker asks for and gets \$2 million from people doing business with agencies he controls.

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Father kills wife, shoots self: cops

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Education cuts stand: judge

Walker wins round 1 in school budget dispute

by KATHERINE BOYCE

Gov. Daniel Walker has won the first round in his suit against the Illinois Board of Education to prevent the board from paying schools more state aid per month than appropriated by the legislature.

Sangamon County Circuit Court Judge Waldo Acherman ruled in favor of the governor Tuesday. Julia Dempsey, attorney for the state board, said she will now take the case to the Illinois Appellate Court in Sangamon County.

In November, the state board voted to distribute monthly state aid to schools in an amount equal to one-twelfth of the annual amount schools are entitled to under the current state aid formula.

WALKER CUT the legislature's school appropriations by \$81 million last summer. He has since insisted the state board distribute monthly aid in an amount equal to one-twelfth the annual sum based on the reduced appropriation. When the state board refused to comply, the Governor went to court.

The judge chose a "literal reading" of the statute on state aid disbursements, said Dempsey, and would not consider past practices. For several years the state has disbursed aid according to the formula rather than the appropriation.

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If state aid is prorated according to the formula rather than the appropriation, schools would receive an additional \$2.5 million in state funds per month, but funds would run out before the end of the fiscal year.

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lion if the legislature does not pass a supplemental appropriation next spring.

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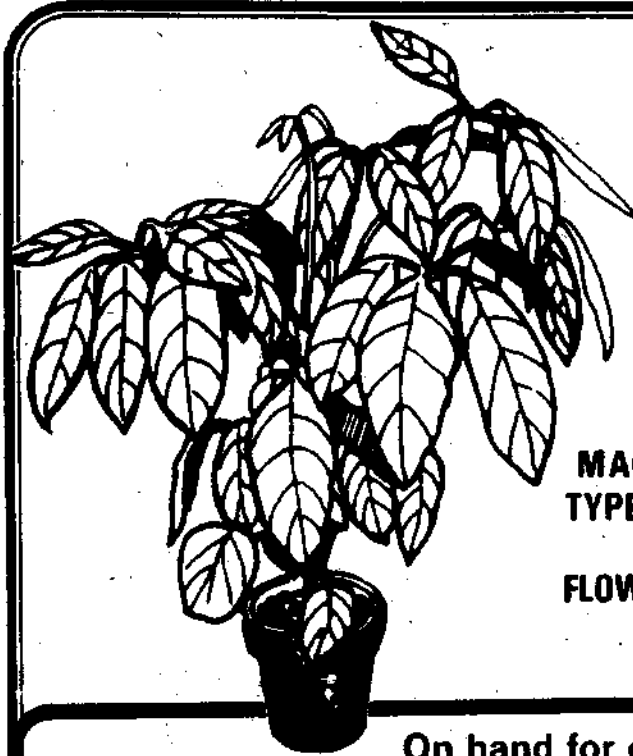
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Mike Lemonidis, a member of the township youth committee, and Dave Corbett, assistant principal at Carl Sandburg Junior High School, were approved at the board's Monday meeting.

The regional bureau includes Palatine, Schaumburg and Elk Grove townships.



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State to let bids for Northwest Hwy.

The long-delayed bid letting for improvement work along 3.5 miles of Northwest Highway has been scheduled for March 5.

State Sen. John A. Graham, R-Barrington, said the Illinois Dept. of Transportation said the repaving work between Baldwin Road and Elmwood Avenue should begin this summer if weather conditions permit and low bids are received.

Estimated cost for the work is \$900,000.

Palatine Township to fly 1777 flag

A flag commemorating the 1777 Battle of Bennington, the first major American colonial victory, will fly outside the Palatine Township Hall beginning Memorial Day.

The flag was a gift to the township from the Palatine Chamber of Commerce and was presented to Township Supervisor Howard Olsen recently at its annual dinner meeting.

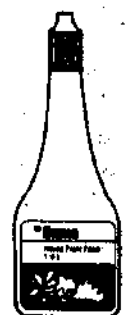
The commemorative flag will fly until August 1977, the anniversary date of the revolutionary battle.

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Howlett puts self into new controversy

by STEVE BROWN

Aides to embattled Sec. of State Michael J. Howlett told The Herald Tuesday that the Democratic gubernatorial candidate ignored advice against lumping his income disclosures with the announcement he was quitting his \$15,000-a-year outside job.

The outcome was that Howlett has opened a new controversy with the disclosure he declared \$100,000 in campaign contributions as personal income in 1974 even though the government does not consider campaign funds as taxable income.

Howlett was attempting to "clear the air" over his job with the Sun Steel Co. during a press conference at the Bismarck Hotel, but much of the questioning surrounded Howlett's tax returns.

WHILE EXPLAINING why he resigned from the \$15,000-a-year consulting post with Sun Steel, Howlett also disclosed his net worth and showed reporters his 1974 income tax returns.

Aides said after the press conference they advised Howlett not to link the two matters together.

"I think it cleared the air, but it looks like it opened a whole new can of worms," one adviser said.

At issue was Howlett's 1974 income tax return which included \$100,000 he received as campaign contributions. Howlett declared the contributions as personal income. He said he was advised by Chicago lawyer Harold Bernstein to declare the contributions as personal income.

ACCORDING TO Internal Revenue Service regulations, politicians are not required to declare campaign contributions as income unless the money was used for personal expenses.

"I used the \$100,000 to pay back taxes, I did not use it for personal expenses. My tax counsel advised me to pay the taxes, it did not have anything to do with the IRS. It was put into the campaign fund. All I did was what my tax counsel told me to do," Howlett said.

Howlett said he used \$75,000 of the

amount to repay a loan he made during his 1972 campaign for secretary of state. Howlett said he borrowed the money from Nationwide Acceptance Corp.

He said the remaining \$25,000 was used to pay taxes on the loan, retire other debts and subsequent political opportunities.

HOWLETT DECLINED to offer any specifics on how the \$100,000 was used.

"I have made the greatest disclosure ever made by any public official," Howlett said.

Howlett said he will disclose his 1972 campaign contributions in the near future.

He did produce a list of persons who purchased tickets to fund-raising events in Chicago and Springfield in 1974. The money raised in the events was used to pay off the loans, Howlett said.

The 1974 tax return Howlett allowed reporters to review did not include the

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Taste of spring disappears

Do not prepare your winter coat and galoshes for mothballs quite yet. Spring IS NOT right around the corner.

Following an official high of 60 degrees Tuesday, the U. S. Weather Service forecast high temperatures in the lower 30s today with north winds gusting between 10 and 15 miles per hour.

Tuesday's mid-afternoon forecast said the Chicago area would be under a partly cloudy sky today but with very little chance of measurable precipitation.

Temperatures will drop into the upper teens or lower 20s tonight, then remain cold and dry on Thursday.

The Weather Service forecast no measurable amount of precipitation until Friday when, a spokesman said, it would probably be a light shower.

Tuesday's 60-degree high fell three degrees short of the Chicago area record set Feb. 10, 1976.

Isolated cases of flu reported in schools

by KURT BAER

Isolated outbreaks of influenza have hit hard at some area schools.

Health officials, however, still say they are hoping this winter will wind up as one of the mildest flu seasons in recent years.

St. Stephen School, Des Plaines, was closed Tuesday with eight of the school's 14 teachers and 70 of 318 students reported out with the flu.

Prospect Heights Dist. 23 also reported numerous flu-related absences.

"There are many, many children and some teachers out because of the flu," said Carol Weinberg, one of two nurses in Dist. 23. From a total enrollment of 1,705 students, 137 elementary children and 48 junior high school students were absent Tuesday. Ten of the district's 93 teachers also were reported sick.

"There seems to be two kinds of flu. The first makes the person much sicker — fever, cough and sore throat. The second, a stomach flu, seems to be of shorter duration. Some children have had both," Mrs. Weinberg said.

Jill Barthel, supervisory nurse for Elk Grove Township Dist. 59, reported a number of flu-like illnesses in district schools.

"We usually have a period when we have a number of students absent because of high fevers or flu. We seem to be going through

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Village vs. Randhurst

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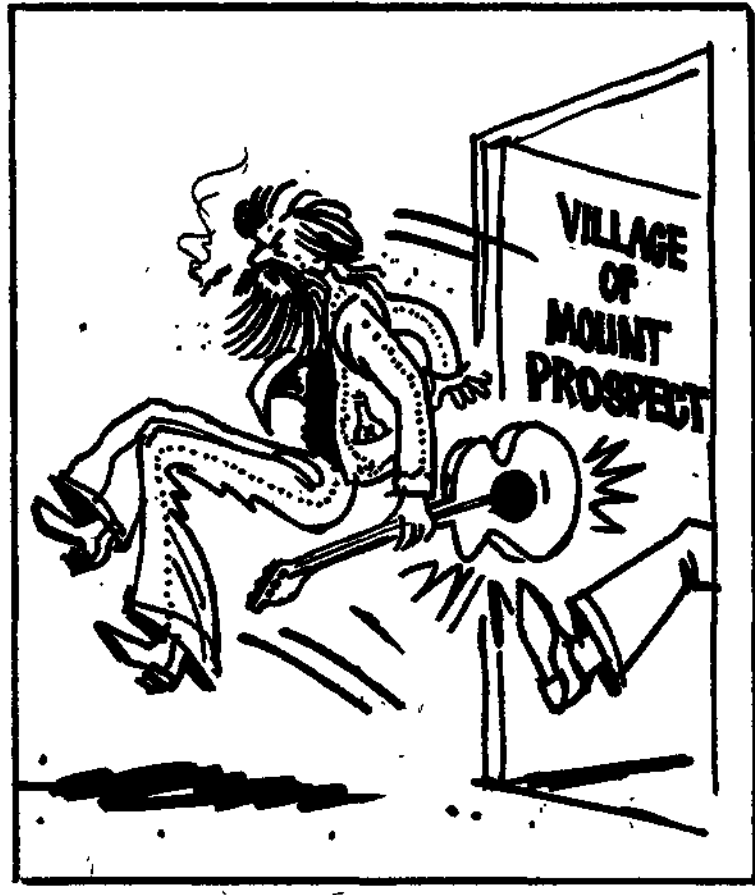
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Bicentennial Ball needs dancers

Take the Randhurst Mall, fill it with three bands, a catered buffet and decorations and you have Mount Prospect's Bicentennial Ball. Right?

Wrong. People — the crucial ingredient — are still missing, as the Mount Prospect Nurses Club found out when tickets for the Feb. 21 event failed to sell like hotcakes.

"We didn't think we were being unrealistic when we said we could sell 2,000 tickets for the ball," said Ann Carpenter, club president.

Estimates are now that the club has sold about 800 tickets at \$12.50 per person. Mrs. Carpenter said the club should break even "if we've actually sold all the tickets we think we have."

Mrs. Carpenter said she and others involved in planning the event since fall 1974 thought it would be a major attraction.

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She said she is surprised that the smaller groups don't cancel their events and go to the ball together.

"ALSO, THE PRICE is somewhat prohibitive for some people, but no one can go out and have a big meal and live entertainment for \$12.50 per person," Mrs. Carpenter said.

Since a final count must be in to the caterers by Tuesday, Mrs. Carpenter said no more tickets will be sold after that date. "The people who do show up are going to have a ball," she said.

Persons interested in buying tickets can call 255-6778, 394-2321 or 253-7941. Tickets also are available at the Mount Prospect State Bank and the Countryside Bank.

Father of four kills wife, shoots self, police report

A Hanover Park man allegedly shot and killed his wife Tuesday, then critically wounded himself in what police said was an apparent murder and attempted suicide.

The incident occurred about 10:25 a.m. at the Raymond Buenger home, 1801 Cypress Ct., police said.

Nancy Buenger, 33, mother of four, was killed by two gunshots to the head and one to the chest. She was pronounced dead at Alexian Brothers Medical Center, Elk Grove Village.

BUENGER, 35, was listed in critical condition Tuesday night in the in-

tensive care unit of the hospital. He suffered a gunshot wound to the head.

Police said they were called to the Buenger house to investigate a report of a domestic disturbance with shots being fired. The Buengers were found lying in the kitchen of the bungalow home by police.

Both Buenger and his wife's wounds were inflicted by the same weapon, a .38-caliber handgun, police said. Two of four Buenger children were in the home at the time of the shootings, and assistant Cook County state's attor-

neys were questioning them Tuesday night.

Further details about the incident were not available pending investigation by the state's attorney's office.

The Buenger family was aided by Northwest suburbanites in December after the family was included on a list of needy families by Schaumburg Township officials. These families usually receive turkeys and other holiday footstuffs collected by civic groups.

AREA RESIDENTS offered Christ-

mas trees and presents for the family following a Herald story outlining the family's struggle to make ends meet while living on township general-assistance funds.

Neighbors said Tuesday they did not know much about the Buengers because the couple did not socialize with the people in the neighborhood. One woman said the Buengers "kept to themselves."

Georgia Radosta, who has lived next door to the family for 12 years, said neighbors "left them alone" be-

cause of the problems the Buengers were experiencing.

During an interview with a Herald reporter last December, Mrs. Buenger traced the family's problems back to an auto accident in June 1975. After that incident and the father's inability to work full-time at a tool and die making job, Buenger suffered a nervous breakdown, Mrs. Buenger had said.

SINCE HIS BREAKDOWN, Buenger was in and out of the mental health unit at Alexian Brothers Medical Cen-

ter, she said. A spokesman for the hospital Tuesday confirmed Buenger had been treated there in the past.

Because of financial and medical problems the family was forced to go to Schaumburg Township for general assistance funds to buy necessities.

Mrs. Buenger went into training as a nursing assistant at Sherman Hospital, Elgin, but lost that job when she had to spend a week in a nearby hospital for tests.

In December, she said, "I'm laughing on the outside, but there have

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A VALENTINE is a labor of love, particularly if you make your own like Jennifer Lynn Schaffer. The project was part of a Mount Prospect Park District class at Lions Park.

Judge to make it official Thursday

May 22 proposed date of Prospect Hts. election

Prospect Heights Improvement Assn. officials Tuesday tentatively set May 22 for the election of city officials.

The recommended date and guidelines for the election are expected to be approved Thursday by a Cook County Circuit Court judge.

More than 40 residents of the new city, which was approved in an incorporation referendum Jan. 31, attended the PHIA meeting. The meeting was held at St. Alphonsus Church, 411 Wheeling Rd., Prospect Heights.

DONALD J. KREGER, PHIA attorney, said candidates will have between 60 and 90 days before the election to file nominating petitions and ethics statements with the circuit court.

The court will oversee the election in which eight aldermen, a mayor and a clerk-treasurer will be elected. The council will serve a three-year term and be elected at-large as required by state law.

Eight aldermanic districts for future elections will be formed once the city government begins functioning, Kreger said.

Kreger said petitions, ethics forms and an account of correct filing procedures will be made available within the next week to interested residents.

PHIA officials said they plan to distribute the nominating petitions through the Prospect Heights Public Library.

THE COURT IS expected to require that candidates obtain enough

Clawes bids for city clerk post

Jo Ellen Clawes, Prospect Heights Park District commissioner, Tuesday announced her candidacy for city clerk-treasurer of Prospect Heights.

Mrs. Clawes, 46, of 283 N. Parkway St., Prospect Heights, is the first to seek the post. The position is one of three proposed full-time city jobs. The city clerk-treasurer is expected to receive an annual salary of \$10,000, according to a tentative city budget proposed by the Prospect Heights Improvement Assn.

Jack E. Gilligan, former PHIA president, announced earlier this week that he will be a candidate for mayor in the city's first election of municipal officials which is expected to take place in May.

A CIRCUIT COURT judge is expected to set a definite date for the election in May.

Mrs. Clawes, an 18-year resident of Prospect Heights, believes she can do the most "to help set up the new city

signatures on their petitions to equal about five per cent of the residents who voted in the incorporation referendum.

About 2,863 ballots were cast in the election, which means about 150 signatures would be required on a candidate's petition, Kreger said.

Some residents expressed concern

by being clerk-treasurer," she said. "I do not believe that my being a park board commissioner would be a conflict of interest, and I would plan to continue my term on the park board which lasts through April 1977," she said. Mrs. Clawes was elected to her first term on the park board in April 1975.

Mrs. Clawes, the mother of four children, helped found the Prospect Heights Little League Auxiliary and is a school crossing guard. Her husband, Richard, is an engineer for Illinois Bell Telephone Co.

Prospect Heights residents will elect a mayor, eight city aldermen and a clerk-treasurer in the spring election.

Once the city council is elected, a city manager and clerical help will be hired, and an attorney and city engineer will be retained as their services become necessary, PHIA officials have said.

that the first elected officials could all live in the same part of the city and would represent only a portion of the residents.

"The first three years, your officials will be busy setting up a new city government in everyone's interest, I don't think what you're afraid of is the case," Kreger said.



Lil Floros

Man donates 50th pint of blood

David C. Hanna, 2800 Briarwood West, donated his 50th pint of blood at the Mount Prospect SureBlood Program drive last week. The village and his church, South Church-Community Baptist, receive credit for the contribution.

Giving blood is no big deal to Dave. "I'm an RH-negative and I think this is something I just should do," he said.

Dave started giving blood in 1942 while in college. Except for time in service, he has donated once or twice every year. He has contributed at Chicago's Michael Reese Hospital where he was often called to provide fresh blood for open heart surgery patients. Now, with the convenience of the local blood program, he donates in Mount Prospect.

THE JAZZ band of Lincoln Junior

High School took top honors Saturday at the annual Oak Lawn Jazz Festival for the second consecutive year. The 23-member band, directed by David Metzler, was named "Best of Class" among 17 groups competing in the junior high division.

Lincoln also was one of eight bands to receive a superior rating. As "Best of Class" winner, the local musicians were the only junior high group invited to participate in an evening concert highlighting the all-day festival. A capacity crowd gave the Mount Prospect band a standing ovation following its performance.

Two Lincoln soloists, trombonist Brad Carlin and drummer Frank Carloti, were named among the festival's all-star performers. Other soloists from Lincoln were Yvonne Toll, flugelhorn, and Mark Heuer and Paul Bateman, trumpeters.

Dist. 214 term to begin prior to Labor Day

Classes will begin the Wednesday before Labor Day this year in High School Dist. 214.

The Dist. 214 Board of Education this week approved a calendar for the 1976-77 school year. The school year will begin Tuesday, Aug. 31, with an institute day for teachers. Students will report to classes Wednesday, Sept. 1.

Winter vacation will begin at the close of classes on Wednesday, Dec. 22, and classes will resume Monday, Jan. 3, 1977. The first semester will end Friday Jan. 21.

Spring vacation will begin at the close of classes Thursday, April 7, 1977, and classes will resume Monday, April 18. The last day of classes will be held Friday, June 10, 1977.

According to a report submitted to the board by the administration, the superintendents of the 10 school districts in the High School Dist. 214 and 211 area discussed the calendar and a majority preferred starting school next year before Labor Day with a shortened winter vacation.

A majority of teachers polled by the Dist. 214 Education Assn. also favored the early start with a shortened holiday break.

Proposed water rate cut seen as unlikely

The Mount Prospect Village Board is unlikely to reduce the minimum village water charge passed last month because the village would lose nearly \$30,000 in expected revenues.

Trustee Leo Floros had suggested that the village's minimum rate be lowered from \$9 to \$7.50 because he said it is too high. The rate, charged to residents using 10,000 gallons of water per quarter, was increased from \$6 when the board increased the entire water rate schedule in January.

A report by Village Finance Director Richard L. Jesse shows Mount Prospect would lose \$29,400 if the charge is reduced.

JESSE ESTIMATED about 600 single-family homes in Mount Prospect are now charged the minimum rate. Approximately 196 apartment buildings receive the minimum charge from the water department. The buildings have 4,300 units.

At \$6 per living unit, Jesse estimated the village will collect \$29,400 more than it did under the old rate.

Village officials said the village could use the extra money, particularly

as preliminary budget figures show the department's expected revenues \$1 million short of expenditures. Officials have proposed cutting most major water department improvement programs to balance the budget.

Village Mgr. Robert J. Eppley and Jesse each said the extra revenue is vital to operating the water department, although the new rate represents a 50 per cent increase.

"I SINCERELY hope the board will retain the ordinance as passed, as our implementation program is well on its way to a May 1 effective date," Jesse said. Mayor Robert D. Teichert concurred.

"This is new information," said Trustee Edward B. Rhea Jr., about minimum rates charged apartment dwellers. "I didn't realize all of them are charged the minimum rate."

Eppley said the figures are an estimate based on the check Jesse made.

"Some of them are over the minimum charge," Eppley said. "He (Jesse) didn't have time to completely check it out, but he made the estimates on the apartment he did check."

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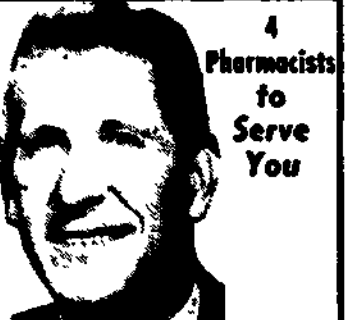
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Schools

Wheeling-Buffalo Grove Dist. 21

Robert James, zoologist, teacher, author and entertainer will bring a monkey, iguana, boa constrictor and other animals when he visits area schools. In his program, James promotes a love for animals, an awareness of their plight and a realistic response to animals from the children.

James will visit two schools in Wheeling today. He will be at Holmes Junior High School, 212 S. Wolf Rd., at 9 a.m. and London Junior High School, 1001 W. Dundee Rd. at 1 p.m. Students at Cooper Junior High School, 1050 W. Plum Grove Rd., Buffalo Grove will see the program Tuesday at 9 a.m.

Cooper Junior High School's concert winds will be playing 30-minute concerts of marches and popular music Wednesday for six elementary schools. The 45-member ensemble will perform for Alcott, Poe, Kilmer Irving, Riley and Longfellow schools.

Arlington Heights Dist. 25

Each class at Westgate School will make a sheet cake for a school birthday party Friday. The cakes will be assembled and decorated to represent a flag.

Students have been working on a number of Bicentennial projects. One class is planning to serve elk meat at a colonial dinner. Other projects include building a replica of the Mayflower, designing colonial clothing, making a quilt and planting red, white and blue tulips in front of the school. The school is at 1211 W. Grove St., Arlington Heights.

River Trails Dist. 26

A flower arranging demonstration by Mrs. Russell Christensen will highlight Park View School PTA's holiday salad luncheon Saturday at noon at the school, 905 Burning Bush Ln., Mount Prospect.

Mrs. Christensen is a master flower shop judge and holds a life membership in the Garden Club of Illinois for her civic beautification projects. Her program will cover Japanese, modern, classical and interpretive flower arrangements.

Tickets are \$2 and sold in advance. For information contact Louise Jacobson, 827-2630.

Mount Prospect Dist. 57

"Children the challenge" will be the topic today at a parent education program at Westbrook School. The 9 a.m. meeting will be held in Room 111 of the school, 103 S. Busse Rd., Mount Prospect.

The Busse School PTA will present a Bicentennial county fair Thursday from 3:30 to 8:30 p.m. at the school, 101 N. Owen St., Mount Prospect.

Games, prizes, auctions, bake goods and entertainment will be featured at the fair. Italian beef and hot dog dinners will be available by advance tickets only.

"Happy Birthday America," a musical review by the St. James Christie Academy, will be presented Friday at Busse School, 101 N. Owen St., Mount Prospect. The public is invited to attend the 1:30 p.m. performance.

Saint James School

Chicago Bulls player Jerry Sloan and Doug Buffone of the Chicago Bears will be guests at St. James School's sports night Friday. The event will be held in the Parish Center, 820 N. Arlington Heights Rd., Arlington Heights and is sponsored by the school's Parents Club.

The St. James varsity basketball team and cheerleading squad recently were awarded the sportsmanship trophy at the St. Viator High School holiday basketball tournament.

St. Peter Lutheran School

Dr. Emanuel Chersakin will discuss preventive medicine and nutrition at the Parent-Teacher Assn. of St. Peter Lutheran School Friday.

Dr. Chersakin, chairman of the department of oral medicine at the University of Alabama, is the co-author of a Psychodietetics, Foods, The Key to Emotional Health.

The program at the school, 111 W. Olive St., Arlington Heights, will begin at 8 p.m. and admission is free. The program is open to all.

St. Thomas of Villanova

The community is invited to a bingo party Friday at St. Thomas of Villanova School. Doors will open at 7 p.m. and games will start at 7:30 in the Parish hall, 1141 E. Anderson Pl., Palatine.

Sacred Heart High School

A make-up placement test for prospective students will be held at Sacred Heart of Mary High School in Rolling Meadows at 8:30 a.m. Saturday.

All eighth grade girls in the area, who missed the January test, are invited to attend. Each girl is asked to bring two No. 2 pencils and a \$5 testing fee to the school.

A program explaining the freshman curriculum will be presented to prospective students and their parents in March. An appointment may be made at that time with a staff member to set up individual course selection.

High School Dist. 207

The Maine West High School music department will present its annual midwinter band concert Sunday at 3 p.m. in the school auditorium, 1786 S. Wolf Rd., Des Plaines. Admission is \$1 for adults and 75 cents for students. Golden Agers and Music Boosters cards will serve as admission passes.

The concert will feature the combined cadet and intermediate bands and the jazz and concert bands.

High School Dist. 214

The Choral League of Wheeling High School will serve an "all you can eat" spaghetti dinner Sunday from noon to 5 p.m. in the school cafeteria, 900 S. Elmhurst Rd., Wheeling.

A \$2 donation is asked for adults. Children under 6 years old are free.

For information call Jo Lang, 537-1000, or JoAnne Jenkins, 537-8703.

"Kid Stuff," a program of magic acts, escape artist, clowns, games and stunts will be presented Saturday by Hersey High School's Magic Club. The program will be from 12:30 to 2:30 p.m. in the school's Little Theater, 1800 E. Thomas Ave., Arlington Heights.

Tickets at 75 cents will go on sale 45 minutes before showtime at the door, or can be purchased in advance in Room 181 at the high school.

Proceeds from the program will be used to purchase materials and supplies for use in the school's math and science resource center.

Governor wins 1st round in suit over school aid

by KATHERINE BOYCE

Gov. Daniel Walker has won the first round in his suit against the Illinois Board of Education to prevent the board from paying schools more state aid per month than appropriated by the legislature.

Sangamon County Circuit Court Judge Waldo Acherman ruled in favor of the governor Tuesday. Julia Dempsey, attorney for the state board, said she will now take the case to the Illinois Appellate Court in Sangamon County.

In November, the state board voted to distribute monthly state aid to schools in an amount equal to one-twelfth of the annual amount schools are entitled to under the current state aid formula.

WALKER CUT the legislature's school appropriations by \$81 million last summer. He has since insisted the state board distribute monthly aid in an amount equal to one-twelfth the annual sum based on the reduced appropriation. When the state board refused to comply, the Governor went to court.

The judge chose a "literal reading" of the statute on state aid disbursements, said Dempsey, and would not consider past practices. For sev-

eral years the state has disbursed aid according to the formula rather than the appropriation.

A bill that would have clarified the state board's power to distribute aid according to the formula died in the legislature last year. The judge ruled the matter of state aid disbursement was "more clearly" in the realm of the legislature, said Dempsey, but the judge also left the state board with the option of taking the case to the Illinois Supreme Court.

If state aid is prorated according to the formula rather than the appropriation, schools would receive an additional \$2.5 million in state funds per month, but funds would run out before the end of the fiscal year.

THE STATE'S last payment in June would be cut between \$60 and \$70 million if the legislature does not pass a supplemental appropriation next spring.

Last month the state board gave tentative approval to its proposed education budget, which included a request for a \$100 million supplemental appropriation from the Illinois General Assembly this spring.

Walker has opposed the request saying the state has no additional money for schools this year.

Howlett propels himself into another controversy

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list of itemized deductions which Howlett claimed for the year.

THE TAX SITUATIONS marked the second controversy Howlett has started for himself in the past two weeks.

Howlett told reporters he has resigned from the Sun Steel post, the firm which paid him \$228,000 since 1960, because "I do not wish to permit the campaign for governor to be diverted from the real issues."

While Howlett announced he resigned from the post, he was quick to point out that he does not believe the situation represents a conflict of interest. He said Sun Steel and the M.S. Kaplan Co. Inc., which owns 55 per cent of Sun Steel, never did any business with state.

He said he performed labor and sales consulting for the company during the period he served as state auditor and later as secretary of state.

HOWLETT SAID he did not seek any clients for the company after he was elected to public office. He also said to the best of his knowledge none of the clients he advised Sun Steel on did business with the state. Howlett declined to name the sales clients.

Howlett called the campaign and income disclosures "a key issue in the campaign."

He also criticized Walker for not releasing the contributors to his 1972 campaign.

Walker aides revealed early Tuesday Walker would make the contributors list public soon.

"Gov. Walker and his people would have you believe there is a question when I receive \$15,000 from a company which does no business whatsoever with the state. But they do not

believe there is a conflict when Dan Walker asks for and gets \$2 million from people doing business with agencies he controls.

Howlett also released a statement which reported his net worth at \$78,500, including \$29,000 in state pension funds, \$28,000 in life insurance and \$12,000 equity in a house in Long Beach, Ind. He also revealed he lost \$8,000 on the sale of a home in Chicago in 1975.

Father kills wife, shoots self: police

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been nights I have cried. It hurts down deep."

At Christmas, Mrs. Buenger thought she would not have enough money to buy any gifts for the children, but after a Herald story, residents from throughout the Northwest suburbs called with promises for presents.

SHE HAD SAID she thought the financial turnaround was bringing the family closer together and things were no longer taken for granted as they had in the past.

Mrs. Buenger did find a job recently and worked nights as a waitress at a nearby restaurant.

Authorities said if they did not find relatives in the area, the Buenger's four children, ranging from third grade to a sophomore in high school, would be turned over to the Illinois Dept. of Children and Family Services.

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By Marshall Olsen

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